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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

A pronounced low pressure is now centred over the Gulf of Alaska, and fine, mild weather has been general over this province. Zero temperatures are again reported in the Prairies.

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MEXICAN TROOPS SMASH REVOLUTIONARY FORCES

Deliveries of Vessels To Come in Spring of 1930 for Night Service

Captain C. D. Neroutsos Returns From Placing Contracts in Scotland for Two Ships to Augment Princess Fleet in Night Sailings to Vancouver

Conveyor Equipment for Freight, and Second Passenger Gangway Ordered

FIRST of the ships building at the Fairfield Shipbuilding & Engineering Company's plant on the Clyde for the Victoria-Vancouver night service of the British Columbia Coast Steamship Service, will be delivered in April, 1930, and the second in May of the same year.

This announcement was made yesterday by Captain C. D. Neroutsos, manager of the service, on his return from a visit to the Old Country, in which he placed the contracts. He also accepted the Princess Norah from the builders. The vessels have been specially designed for the future growth of the travel between Victoria and Vancouver. Captain Neroutsos said, in describing the specifications.

They are each 365.3 feet over all, and 251 feet between perpendiculars. The breadth is fifty-two feet moulded, and forty-eight to waterline. The depth, moulded, to the main deck is nineteen feet. Each ship has five decks, and berthing capacity for 491 persons. The day capacity is 1,500 people.

TO CARRY CARS

Special provision has been made for automobiles on the main deck, to carry fifty at a sitting. The extreme speed guaranteed is sixteen and one-half knots. The ships will be driven by quadruple expansion four-cylinder reciprocal engines, with four Scotbish boilers. The capacity is set at 900 tons deadweight.

A feature of the ships is the large number (twenty-eight in all) of rooms on the boat deck with lavatories, bath and, toilet accommodation. There are eight de luxe cabins through each ship.

An elevator will be installed for convenience of passengers. An interesting feature of the ships will be that there will be sleeping accommodation of every class, for so innovation in the design is a dormitory where cheap berths can be supplied at a nominal figure, within the range of all pockets.

The vessels will be operated by oil fuel.

Captain Neroutsos says the contracts of the Canadian Pacific Railway on the Clyde have done much to aid a desperate condition in the yards, and with considerable tonnage for the Atlantic and Pacific fleets of the company to be carried out, as well as the two carried out, now, the yards are benefiting very much from such opportunities to build ships for the Canadian Mercantile Marine

IMPROVEMENTS HERE

The manager announces two improvements for the Belleville Street docks, to be put in hand at once, the company having authorized the work when he called on his annual inspection. One is the construction of conveyor equipment to handle promptly local freight off the inbound Vancouver boat each morning. The other is the construction of a second gangway in order that passengers in the tourist season may be able promptly to disembark. This gangway will be built at Berth No. 1. It is expected to be of considerable value in the busy period of the year, when tourist travel is at its peak.

From the Colonist Tower

Friday, March 8

Sixty-Seventh Day, 1929

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate to fresh southerly winds, generally fair and mild.

Sun Rises: 6:41 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 6:00 o'clock.
High Tide: 4.45 o'clock, 8.2 feet.
Low Tide: 10.45 o'clock, 2.2 feet.

Sports

Two Rugby championship games carded for the Willows tomorrow

Junior and juvenile soccer cup ties scheduled.

Fifth cricket test match begins at Melbourne.

Canadiens down Senators, Maple Leafs and Black Hawks battle to draw.

Portland Buckaroos defeat Seattle Eskimos.

The News

Local and Provincial—

Loan bill is discussed in local Legislature.

Further conference to be held regarding Saanich High School and site.

Novel doctors will arrive here in August, 1930, from British Medical Association meeting.

Deliveries of new vessel for Victoria-Vancouver coast service to be made in spring of 1930.

Price-fixed plan on timber royalty from January, 1930.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—

Two of three revolting Mexican armies are defeated.

TIDAL WAVE DISAPPOINTS HONOLULANS

Eminent Scientist Predicts Arrival of Great Surge as Result of Earthquake Recorded Yesterday

ALARMED OFFICIALS TAKE PRECAUTIONS

Ships Lashed Tightly to Moorings and Shore Residents Warned, but Tidal Wave Fails to Appear

HONOLULU, March 7.—The tidal wave predicted for the Hawaiian Islands as a result of an earthquake 2,200 miles distant at 11 p.m. yesterday, had failed to materialize at a late hour today, and activity diminished considerably as indications of such a visitation continued lacking.

The prediction was made last night by Dr. Thomas A. Jaggar, eminent volcanologist at the Kilauea Observatory on Hawaiian Islands.

The authorities immediately began to take precautions against the predicted wave, lashing ships tightly to their moorings here and in Pearl Harbor, and warning residents along the shore to move to higher ground.

The exact location of the earthquake was not determined, but a distance of 2,200 miles would put it somewhere in the Pacific. It is now presumed any tidal wave that may have been caused by the earthquake had dissipated itself before reaching Hawaii.

ADMIRAL FIELD TO BE FIRST SEA LORD

LONDON March 7.—Naval men are highly gratified at the news that Frederick Field, commander-in-chief of the Mediterranean fleet since 1928, will succeed Admiral Sir Charles Madden as First Sea Lord and chief of the naval staff, some time during the Summer.

EXCLUSION OF U.S. EXPORTS IS PROPOSED

Mr. Guthrie, in Budget Debate, Suggests Policy to Be Followed if Market in U.S.A. Is Cut Off

DOMINION ABLE TO SUPPLY OWN WANTS

OTTAWA, March 7.—Parliament received today a suggestion as to how Canada can meet increased United States tariffs against Canadian farm products.

The method suggested by Hon. Hugh Guthrie, acting Conservative leader, would be in the first instance to stop the importation of farm products into Canada and secondly to supply those agricultural products from Canadian farms.

Mr Guthrie, in making this suggestion to the Government, stated that the Dominion is now importing agricultural products from the United States to the extent of approximately sixty million dollars. To the United States he said Canada sells annually farm products valued at slightly over this sum. If the United States closes its doors on Canadian agricultural products Canada could close its doors on agricultural products from the world. The Dominion is in a position to supply her own home needs

"To accomplish that," declared Mr. Guthrie, "all we need is a Government with some courage; all we need is a Government with sound resolution, and a Government that has the real interests of the people and the farmers of Canada at heart."

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JAPAN INVADED BY COMMUNISM

STUDENTS OF IMPERIAL UNIVERSITY MAKE "RED" DEMONSTRATION

Parade Is Featured by Shouts of "Down With Capitalism" and Communistic Songs

TOKIO, March 7.—University authorities dispersed student Communistic demonstrations today outside the medical laboratory of Tokio Imperial University, where physiclass were examining the body of Senji Yamamoto, the murdered professor member of the Japanese Diet.

The demonstrators were students of the Imperial University and numbered approximately one hundred. They paraded around the building chanting revolutionary songs, shouting "Long live Communism" and "Down with capitalism." Yamamoto was stabbed to death by Hokuji Kuroda, member of a new patriotic anti-Communist organization.

VOLCANIC ERUPTION OCCURS IN ICELAND

COPENHAGEN March 7.—The Icelandic legation received reports today of an eruption of the volcano, Kverkfjall, sixty miles from the southeastern coast of Iceland

The volcano is located far from the inhabited parts of the island, but the eruption is plainly visible from Northern Iceland. Kverkfjall is about 180 miles east of Reykjavik, the capital.

Poet Laureate Breaks Long Silence

DR. ROBERT BRIDGES

Britain's eighty-five-year-old Poet Laureate, who has broken his long silence to speak as "Testy" at Madden College, Oxford, last week.

FURIOUS GALE RUNS RIOT IN NEW YORK CITY

Smoke Stack Blown From Skyscraper Rips Iron From Station Roof—Three Fatalities

MIDDLE WEST ALSO SWEPT BY STORM

NEW YORK, March 7.—A dying winter took on a new lease of life today and went on the rampage over some of the northeastern states and Eastern Canada, causing at least three deaths, scores of injuries and serious damage to property.

A sixty-mile gale drove the inbound Lampert & Holt liner Vendike aground on Governor's Island in upper New York Bay, but the vessel was hauled off the mud.

The gale swept throughout New York City, blowing a fifteen-foot smokestack from the top of the fifteen-story Clarendon Hotel in Times Square and ripping a section of street iron from the roof of the Long Island Railroad freight station in Brooklyn. The falling metal fractured one woman's skull.

In New York and other cities the gale swept persons off their feet, many of them being injured, and in three instances fatalities occurred. The storm toppled over a huge crane at the Bethlehem Steel plant at Coatesville, Pa., one man was killed and the operator of the crane was badly hurt.

IN MIDDLE WEST

CHICAGO, March 7.—Riding on the crest of a destructive west wind, Winter made a brief sortie on the midwest last night and early today, causing heavy property loss. Bubnoff temperatures prevailed over many sections of the Northwest, but tonight were moderating. More than ten persons were injured, most of them in Chicago, while much of the property damage was caused at Tomewawk, Wis., where the wind fanned a fire through the business section, causing a loss estimated at $500,000.

Considerable damage was caused in other parts of Wisconsin, and the Upper Michigan Peninsula, where the wind was accompanied by snow and later by rain, which halted travel and communication. In Chicago several huge smokestacks were blown down. Two Milwaukee Railroad passenger trains were locked fast in ice-encrusted drifts near Necedah, Wis. Little hope was held out tonight for two men and a woman, who were caught in the gale while riding in a small fishing boat on Lake Michigan.

IMMIGRANTS ARRIVE FROM UNITED STATES

WINNIPEG, March 7.—Accompanying three American families of ten persons with plenty of capital, from New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania, George Zeman, colonization agent, for the C.P.R. at Youngstown, Ohio, arrived in Winnipeg this morning. He will leave at noon for the irrigated lands of the C.P.R. where the newcomers will settle. Alta. This is the first large party of Indianapolis Americans to reach Canada this Spring

Mr. Zeman says they have plenty of money, and if satisfied with conditions in the irrigated belt, they will bring more than two hundred of their neighbors who are of German origin. These people are now engaged in farming on rented land in the Ohio Valley and in Pennsylvania.

PROFESSOR A. A. YOUNG DIES

LONDON March 7.—Allyn Abbott Young, American economist and professor of political economy in the University of London, died today at the age of fifty-two

LOAN BILL IS SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION

Hon. N. S. Lougheed Says Option Is Available to Secure Strathcona Park Timber Leases

NOMINAL CHARGE IF ACQUIRED NOW

Attorney-General Strongly in Favor of Improving Jordan River Road Before West Coast Road

AT considerable length the new loan bill for $9,000,000 was considered in the Legislature yesterday afternoon in its second reading. Compliments were received on all hands by the Minister of Public Works in having such exact information on the subject, the presentation of the bill indicative how the money was to be expended. Many of the members compared the policy followed by Hon. N. S. Lougheed with that which prevailed under the Liberal Government.

The minister complimented his staff throughout the country. For the next ten years, during which time it would be the policy to place the roads on location, there would be need for considerable work by the engineers in the field. He was adopting the policy of promoting within the service as an encouragement for the men engaged.

He took occasion to refer to the work planned at Saanichton, whereby the needs of the returned men would be provided in the line of a holding where cases arising out of that war could be taken care of in a separate building. This announcement that the Government was to provide such a building met with applause from both sides of the House, especially by the returned men within the chamber.

A reference was made to the fact that an option had been secured lately, a return to the Government, of certain timber areas which it was desired wise to preserve at Strathcona Park could be obtained at the rate of it is assumed. In reply to the question of the Leader of the Opposition, he said that there had been no deal consummated.

MAINTAIN POLICY

Hon W. C. Shelly in moving the second reading of the bill, said that this was carrying out the promises of the former government, that the money from motor licenses and gas taxes would be used in road construction. He would continue to implement the promises.

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TWO BODIES WILL CONFER

Will Hold Round Table Conference on Monday Night to Discuss Saanich High School

TWO SITES ARE CONSIDERED

Last night the Saanich School Board waited on the Saanich Council to present the case for taking immediate steps towards building a high school in Saanich, and also for pushing the choice of two alternative sites for the building as a referendum to the people.

Trustee F. S. Leslie, chairman of the board, read the council a letter received from the city school board, which stated that Saanich pupils must be withdrawn from the Victoria High School at the end of the Summer term, with the proviso that if Saanich wished the latter school to deavor to meet the Saanich trustees at a joint meeting of the two school and third-year pupils, provided the necessary accommodation could be arranged.

Upon receipt of this communication, Mr. Hobbs told the council, the matter was taken up with the board of the Dominion Department of Marine and Fisheries. The case will be laid before the British Consul in Seattle, who will endeavor to obtain assistance for the crew of the ship's owners. The men were forced to leave a large number of dogs, so were compelled to leave all their belongings on board the Alloway. Indemnity of $150 for each member of the crew is sought.

Mr Uphill also announced yesterday that he was taking steps to obtain a more rigid observance of Canadian shipping laws by ship owners, and that he was seeking to have the shipping regulations of Canada revised so as to make more rigid the laws applying to the deportation of ships in a seaworthy condition.

May Become Member of Ottawa Cabinet

PROF. CYRUS McMILLAN

Lately President of Queen's University, Montreal, whose name has been mentioned as probable Minister of Fisheries.

MEXICAN WAR REACHES CITY ON U.S. LINE

Government and Revolutionary Forces Battle Almost Within Stone Throw of Texas Boundary

FUGITIVES FLEE ACROSS TO EL PASO

EL PASO, Texas, March 7.—Behind the bullet-riddled walls of a small, Juarez, spectacular frontier city of the Mexican border, there was a battlefront with the forces of the Old Government of Mexico and revolutionary elements fighting for the prize, almost within a stone-throw of the Rio Grande. Under the sinister gaze of two French 75s mounted near the International Bridge in El Paso, merely a few yards leading from the United States Government, the city was in a state of confusion as the result was awaited of the battle which has continued intermittently at its southern outskirts since 3 o'clock today.

Preparations to receive the wounded were made late today when General Matias Ramos, chief of Federal military operations in Chihuahua, commandered the Hotel Rio Bravo and immediately changed it into a hospital. Medical equipment from other institutions were rushed to the hotel, and here were mobilized the Mexican Blue Cross nurses.

Americans in Juarez streamed over to El Paso in great numbers. Narrow streets became choked before noon by these refugees, when a stray shot fired somewhere in the city started rumors that the city had been attacked. Automobiles by the hundreds crowded the highways while others made the trip on foot.

General Miguel Valle commanding the revolutionary forces of the Mexican Revolution, Juarez faction, told two El Continental newspaper reporters this afternoon that they will strike Juarez tomorrow.

General Valle informed the reporters that they will not fire one shot to reach American soil but that they will rely on superior numbers in a hand to hand combat.

Mr. Uphill Asks Indemnity for Crew of Alloway

Steps have been taken by Mr Thomas Uphill, Labor Person to indemnify 100 members of the crew of the Sc Alloway, which foundered off Alaskan waters after sailing from this port. Mr. Uphill has interested himself in the Alloway wreck and in the course of his address to the Legislature yesterday the system that allowed unseaworthy vessels to leave a Canadian port.

Mr Uphill has not only taken the matter up with Premier S. F. Tolmie, but with Captain Kirkendale, Victoria harbor master, and Colonel Hodgins, marine agent here of the Dominion Department of Marine and Fisheries. The case will be laid before the British Consul in Seattle, who will endeavor to obtain assistance for the crew of the ship's owners. The men were forced to leave a large number of dogs, so were compelled to leave all their belongings on board the Alloway. Indemnity of $150 for each member of the crew is sought.

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REVOLTING ARMIES DRIVEN TO FLIGHT

Government of Mexico, Already Victorious Over Two Out of Three Largest Bodies of Insurgents, Prepares for Drive on Third-Chief Danger Threatens There

Confidence Felt Leads to Withdrawal of Censorship

MEXICO CITY, March 7.—The Federal Government, victorious over the two of three largest bodies of insurgents, tonight laid plans for a counter offensive against the third and last. Obregadistas are being selected as lieutenants for the campaign against the Sonora rebels, who have been advancing southward through Sinaloa. General Lazaro Cardenas has been appointed supreme commander of all Federal forces in the states of Jalisco, Guanajuato and Michoacan. These troops were being concentrated at Guadalajara.

As in a game of checkers, Secretary Calles has been moving various Federal forces, and has acted swiftly and rapid have been his actions that the rebels have not had time to checkmate anywhere except in the extreme instance. When the rebellion in the State of Vera Cruz appeared in its most serious phase several days ago, he hurled the bulk of his loyal troops into that region. Meanwhile Monterrey fell, but within twenty-four hours a Federal column had covered most of the distance from Tampico and another strong column of Federal troops was already on route north of Mexico City. The rebellion in Vera Cruz showed signs of collapse and parts of the Federal forces were withdrawn for service to the north.

Rather than be caught in an encircling movement of these and other Federals advancing from Piedras Negras and Matamoros, General Obregadis Rodriguez abandoned Monterey which he had held for only two days.

ONLY ONE LEFT

His precipitate withdrawal, which, the Government says has not stopped, and may not, until he finds safety at the Sonora port, in the Federals free to concentrate on Sonora insurgents, who constituted the sole remaining threat.

From the Government, reports come revolutionary strength there. It was announced that Generals Arnoral and Estrada of the Federal forces in Sonora had refused to join the rebel movement and were making their way over the mountains to the city of Sonora.

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Five-Year Relief On Timber Royalty Given to Loggers

THE Provincial Government has decided upon the extension of relief to the loggers of the province, with respect to the royalty to be charged for the five-year period beginning January, 1930. A bill to ratify this measure of relief was introduced yesterday by the Minister of Lands, Hon. P. Burden.

Under the bill it is provided that the royalties chargeable for the period shall be the same as those which are being paid for the present period.

This measure of relief has been present upon the Government by the various related industries connected with the lumber trade. The present rate is $1.35 per thousand for No. 1 and No. 2 grades of fir, cedar, spruce and pine. The automatic increase, commencing with January 1930, would have been 30 cents on each succeeding year for the following five years.

FIRST WINTER TOURISTS GO TO HUDSON BAY

Father and Fourteen-Year-Old Son Finish 800-Mile Snowshoe Tramp In Northern Wilds

GAINED HEALTH IN "GLORIOUS TRIP"

WINNIPEG, March 7 — Eight hundred miles by snowshoe through the wilderness of Northern Ontario and Manitoba, through vast tracts of territory little known to white man, was the journey made by Arthur W. Wood, of the Empire Club, New York, and his fourteen-year-old son, Robert, who arrived in Winnipeg today. From The Pas the North left the Canadian National line at Hudson, Ont., on Christmas Eve and struck out for York Factory by way of Lac Seul, Woman Lake and half a dozen other lakes until they reached Big Trout. There they trampled 250 miles northeasterly by the Nelson River to York Factory on the Hudson Bay.

The purpose of the trip was to study the Indians of remote districts, and they found, particularly in the region of God's River, natives living in the most primitive fashion. "Primitive, yes," said Mr North to speaking of these Indians, "morally and physically they were far superior to the Indians of the south."

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Exploration for Northland Mines Vividly Related

WINNIPEG March 7.—The exploration of hundreds of thousands of miles of Canada's Northland in the search of minerals, both by aeroplane and by waterways, with interesting details of the vast country traversed and the hardships encountered was vividly related by John E. Hammell, international mining mining engineer, George M. Douglas, mining engineer of Lakefield, Ont., and L. L. Bolton, Deputy Minister of Mines, Ottawa, here today. These three men, eminent in the field of mineral development, addressed the afternoon session of the annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy

As an example of the enterprise of Canada's Northland in the case of a Canadian firm which, passed by ships and with some British works which present additional employment in an area of England where employment was not so good today Directors of the British firm had got up in their works pattern telling the men of the order, and urging them and their wives to do what they could to reciprocate by placing orders for produce grown in the Dominion.

In large department stores in England were to be found counters devoted wholly to Empire goods. This was good business.

IT PAYS TO BUY WITHIN EMPIRE

BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER REPORTS GROWING CO-OPERATION SPIRIT

English Firm Receiving Order From Canada Urges Its Employees to Reciprocate

QUEBEC, March 7.—Encouraging evidence of a growing spirit of co-operation and desire among British people to help one another in the commercial sphere, was disclosed by Sir William Clark, British High Commissioner to Canada before the Canadian Club today

The spirit was not merely manifesting itself between governments, but was finding expression in the actions of business men in the conduct of their affairs—business men with business interests, and a public spirit to look beyond the immediate horizon.

INSTANCE QUOTED

As an example he mentioned the case of a Canadian firm which, passed by ships and with some British works which present additional employment in an area of England where employment was not so good today Directors of the British firm had got up in their works pattern telling the men of the order, and urging them and their wives to do what they could to reciprocate by placing orders for produce grown in the Dominion.

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more about civilization. I am afraid that the influence of the white man has not always been for good."

"GLORIOUS TRIP"

The travelers had themselves opportunity to live the true open air life, for, shortly after leaving Hudson, their tent burned down and they were forced, even on nights when the temperature was fifty-two degrees below zero, to live in the fashion of the nomad Indians.

After exploring the headwaters of the Attawapiskat, Severn, Atchigo and Chamattama Rivers, and making a short stay at York Factory, they turned toward civilization, striking the steel of the Hudson Bay Railway at Amary, where they caught a work train to The Pas.

"A glorious trip," said Mr. North, "never felt friskier in my life, even if I am fifty-four years old. I put on eight pounds and Robert added fifteen."

The explorers will leave Winnipeg Friday morning for Montreal and New York, stopping at Hudson to pick up some of the belongings they left behind. On their return home Robert, who is a student of Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., will begin work on a book describing the trip. This will be the third book of exploration the boy has published, and it will be illustrated by photographs taken on the trip by his father.

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- Sweet Pickled Cottage Roll, per lb 29c
- Mild-Cured Breakfast Bacon, piece cut, lb. 32c
- Finest Ayrshire Roll, sliced, per lb. 35c
- Fletcher's Fancy Peameal Bacon, piece cut, lb. 38c
- Fresh Creamery Butter, per lb. 47c; 3 lbs. for $1.39
- Cooket, per lb 18c; 2 lbs for 35¢
- Finest Peanut Butter, in your own container, per lb. 15c
- Swift's Premium Wieners per lb. 30c
- Smoked Picnic Ham, per lb 22c
- Sweet Pickled Picnic Ham, per lb 19c
- Mild Cured Breakfast Bacon, sliced, per lb 35c
- Swiss Gruyere Cheese, 6 portions, per box 33c
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- Seedless Raisins, lb 10c
- Icing Sugar, 3 lbs. for 25c
- Broken Pekoe Tea, per lb., 45¢; 3 lbs. for $1.30
- Tomatoes, large tins, 2 for 25c
- Braid's Tudor Tea, lb 49c
- Pure Strawberry Jam, Pure Raspberry Jam, Pure Gooseberry Jam, 3½-lb. tin 45c
- Malkin's Best Honey, 4-lb. can 63c
- Aylmer Golden Bantam Corn, tin 19c
- Crown Olive Soap, each 5c
- Crystallized Ginger, lb. 25c
- Johnson's Fluid Beef, bottle 95c
- Aylmer Soups, all kinds 10c
- Cream of Wheat, packet 23c
- Cut Macaroni, 3 lbs. 25c
- Majestic Marmalade, 4-lb tin 41c
- Brentwood Strawberry Jam, 4 lbs. 59c
- Evergreen Peas, 2 tins 25c
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- Large Fancy Lemons, per dozen 30c
- No Needs Sugar Grapefruit, 6 for 25c
- Head Lettuce, each 10c; 3 for 25¢
- Good Table Potatoes, 12 lbs. for 25c
- Cowichan Netted Gems, per sack $2.00
- Newtown Pippin Apples, wrapped, extra value, per box $2.45
- Ripe Tomatoes, per lb. 25c
- Block Honey, per lb. 18c; 2 lbs. for 35¢
- Macaroon Snaps, reg. 25c. Special, per lb. 20c; 3 lbs. for 58¢
- Assorted Bonbon Fruit Jellies, regular 35c. Special, per lb. 25c
- Closter Raisins, 2 pkts. for 25c
- Watson's English Dry Ginger Ale, 2 bottles 25¢; per dozen $1.25
- Finest New Dates, 3 lbs. for 25c
- Fancy Hallowi Dates, 2 lbs. 25c

LOAN BILL IS SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION

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There was still on hand some $633,000, which would supply the interest and sinking fund on some $10,000,000 more for this purpose, and later would be used.

He left it to the Minister of Public Works to go more fully into the details for expenditure of the money provided for in the loan.

Hon. N. S. Lougheed referred to the statement prepared. The policy was being followed to divert the traffic from the Interior through the Province of British Columbia to the coast rather than allow it to go to Spokane. The policy pursued was one that had been started by his predecessor.

Replying to Mr. T. D. Pattullo as to whether all this money was to be spent this year, Mr Lougheed said it was difficult to say whether all would be spent or not. As much as possible would be put on the roads. The money had been contributed by the motorists and should go into roads with as little delay as possible.

The object, said the minister, was to connect up certain missing links in the existing roads.

Mr. Pattullo asked about the road from Prince Rupert, which Mr Lougheed stated was to be followed up.

Mr. Pattullo asked about the bridge out of Prince Rupert.

The minister said it was not the intention to build that this year. It was not deemed wise to place it until the location of the road on the other side was fixed and construction entered upon. He also alluded to the need there was for road construction on Queen Charlotte Islands.

Mr Lougheed referred also to the Peace River section of the country which required attention.

The intention was to divert as far as possible the traffic to the coast in British Columbia. It was moreover the design of the department to lay down a plan which could be followed from year to year.

He referred to the fact that many roads had not been properly placed, and changes would be made.

CORBIN ROAD

To Mr. T. Uphill the minister said that money would be spent on the Corbin Road, to which Mr. Uphill expressed the opinion that there would be an official opening of it.

Mr. Lougheed suggested that this would depend upon the member for Fernie, and they would look forward to it.

Mr. Lougheed went into detail in a number of the bridges that would be built.

Captain Fitzsimmons congratulated the minister on his businesslike statement.

Mr. T. Uphill gave praise to the minister.

STRATHCONA PARK

Mr. Pattullo asked for an explanation of $335,000 for purchasing timber in Strathcona Park.

Mr Lougheed said that there had been a suggestion that before the timber areas of the Island were cut over, that there might be some reserves made. It had been deemed that an area at Buttle's Lake offered a good area for this. The Government had secured an option, and recommended the purchase.

He said the minister had been quite specific with respect to Prince Rupert. He had the assurance that no bridge was to be built at Galloway Rapids. The city of Prince Rupert was being isolated.

Mr. Pattullo said the road would lead to the canneries along the Skeena, which would be brought into touch with Prince Rupert. He was glad to hear that attention was to be given to the Queen Charlotte Islands. He hoped that the older sections of the province would not forget the importance of the outlying parts of the province. These parts absorbed the manufactured goods from the older parts. He advised that there was ninety-four miles of highway to connect Prince Rupert with the outside world.

WEST COAST ROAD

Dealing with the statement of the minister regarding the West Coast road, Mr Pattullo felt that there was evidence that the work would not be carried out.

STRATHCONA PARK

On the Strathcona Park timber purchase, the Leader of the Opposition said that timber in the parks was a very important matter. No one could be more in favor of providing breathing spaces in the province than he was. But the Province of British Columbia was a great national park that man could not destroy. This did not, however, take away the need of having parks.

He did not believe that the damming of the Campbell River would destroy the timber beauties at Buttles Lake. It was an Alpine park, not very close to the water which would not be popular as a bathing place. The scenic beauties would not be damaged by the dam. The run-off from the lake would be in February, when it would not be a resort.

The people had a right to say whether they wanted this for power purposes. He was of the opinion that it could be utilized for both power purposes and also have scenic attractions.

It appears, said the Leader of the Opposition, that the Government intended not to use the power of the Campbell River, at least to the fullest.

He further argued that $335,000 was too much for the timber there. It was old timber and worth a lot less. He advised that the forestry experts pass upon it before purchasing.

Mr. Pattullo went into the history of the cancellation of the rights of the old Campbell River Power Company and the granting of an agreement with the Canadian Crown-Willamette Company. He attacked the position taken recently that this company had no further rights than anyone else.

It had been the policy of the former Government to live up to the undertakings entered into by the preceding Government, even when that policy was felt to be unwise.

"But we were building all the same," said Mr Pattullo.

"Yes," said Mr Pooley, "when elections were in sight."

Mr. Pooley went on to say that the Leader of the Opposition had never been able to find a route for the road. The present Government had not, and before the work was carried out a thorough survey was necessary to find a route and then the road.

In the whole twelve years of the former Government there had never been the detail given as to the public works expenditures, as was given in this case. With regard to the West Coast road, Mr. Pooley said he had always advocated that work. The Liberals, just before the election, flooded his riding with Liberal workers and tried to defeat him by carrying out his own (Mr. Pooley's) policy.

The road, said Mr Pooley, would be built right away.

PRESENT HIGHWAY

He referred to the dangerous condition of the road between Sooke and Jordan River. Part of that road was built in the early days and the other part by the B C Electric Company when the Jordan River plant was put in. The Government had taken it over. That road was going to be put in shape, he added.

The Attorney-General, on the argument of Mr Pattullo that the late Government carried out the policies started by the former Conservative Government, suggested that if the Liberals had followed up the P G E contracts left by the Conservatives, that road would not be in the shape it was today.

He upbraided the Leader of the Opposition with regard to the Campbell River project. Mr Pattullo could not expect more respect for an American company than he had shown towards a Canadian company that had spent more than $100,000.

Colonel C. W. Peck, V.C., said that if the late Government took twelve years to construct five miles of road at Prince Rupert, how long would it take to complete it? The road would cost $8,000,000, and the Leader of the Opposition knew it.

Mr Pattullo asked the Minister of Lands if any provision was being made for university lands.

Colonel Nelson Spencer complimented the minister on attention given to Vancouver, and attacked what he termed the short-sighted policy of having allowed the timber of the Pacific Highway, south of New Westminster, to be cut.

Mr L A Hanna hoped that the Alberni-Tofino-Long Beach Road was included, an important road, he said, of equal claim for attention with the West Coast Road.

OFFERS TO RESIGN

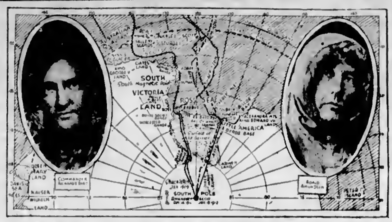
Mr H F. Kergin said there was a reduction in the appropriation for Atlin, and he offered to resign if the Government would in return do justice to his riding.

Hon F. P. Burden moved the adjournment of the debate.

Local Firm Will Clear Used Cars

Commencing Saturday, Messrs Eve Bros., Ltd., are staging one of the biggest clearances of used cars in the firm's history. Used cars nowadays accumulate very rapidly and motor houses must periodically clear their floors. With this object in view the ten-day sale which has been arranged by the Fort Street house will present a collection of cars at all prices, among which the person of the most limited means can find something to meet his requirements. Fifty cars have been placed in for disposal, all specially marked. They are of almost every make, Paige, Buick, Chandlers, Stars, Chevs., Overlands, Fords, in every model, ranging in price from $25 to $1,500. While at the very low prices the values are good, it is in the higher-price class of last year's and 1927 and 1926 models that bargains will be found, cars that are modern in performance and appearance being offered at half their original cost. Here are closed cars and open cars, coupes and roadsters in variety and doubtless the bargain hunters will be many. (Advt.)

Map of Byrd's Planned Flight Shown



COMMANDER Richard Byrd and his Antarctic exploration party are pushing ahead with the establishment of their base camp, Little America, on the ice barrier, about eight miles from the Bay of Whales. The route which Byrd plans to follow on his aeroplane flight to the South Pole is shown on the map, which also plots the courses taken by Amundsen and Scott, both of whom reached the pole, and by Shackleton, who had to turn back short of the objective.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE DENIES STATEMENT

LONDON, March 7.—A denial of Mr. Winston Churchill's statement that Mr. Lloyd George, when Premier, declined to have former Premier H. H. Asquith (later the Earl of Oxford and Asquith) at the Versailles peace treaty conference because he feared to incur the anger of Lord Northcliffe, was published in a morning newspaper today by Mr. Lloyd George. Mr Churchill's statement was published in the fifth of his works on the World War, "The World Crisis—the Aftermath."

On the contrary, Mr. Lloyd George says, he offered Mr. Asquith a seat on the delegation to the peace conference before the 1918 general election, and also offered his predecessor the Lord Chancellorship in his Cabinet.

Mistress—"I am not quite satisfied with your references."

Maid—"Neither am I, but they are the best I could get."

Revolting Armies Driven to Flight

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Meanwhile the "mopping up" in the Vera Cruz campaign appeared tonight to be progressing. Doubt still surrounded the whereabouts of General Jesus M Aguirre, and the few followers he was said to have led in flight from the city of Vera Cruz.

The city of Jalapa, one of the most important in the state, had been cleared of insurgents by Federals, although not before the rebels had collected 14,000 pesos from the inhabitants. Reports received said that the rebels sacked Teocelo and other towns in the state.

CENSORSHIP LIFTED

Two rebel generals were said to have fallen in the street fighting which preceded the fall of Vera Cruz. One was named Gama. The other was Luis de la Sierra, who served Aguirre as chief of staff. He was a member of the National Chamber of Deputies and left the capital only a few days ago.

Optimism became so marked at Chapultepec Castle, war headquarters, as well as at the residence of President Portes Gil, that the President tonight removed the censorship of press dispatches imposed last Sunday. Warning was given, however, that the dispatches would be read later and the authors held responsible.

MEXICO CITY, March 7.—The Government late tonight admitted for the first time that Governor Caraveo, of Chihuahua, had rebelled. It was stated that Federal troops from Juarez were preparing to advance against him.

It was also announced that General Juan Gualberto Amaya, Governor, and General Francisco Urbalejo, chief of military operations in the state of Durango, had joined the insurgents.

Nations Urged To Co-Operate on Coal Situation

GENEVA, March 7.—International co-operation in dealing with the coal situation was urged by Sir Austen Chamberlain, British Foreign Secretary, in speaking before the Council of the League of Nations today.

Sir Austen said the people of Great Britain were following the proceedings of the League's economic committee relating to coal very closely. They desire a measure of international co-operation in the treatment of a problem that affects an industry that is almost world-wide, and everywhere there is suffering as the result of the great difficulties at the present moment, he said.

TWO BODIES WILL CONFER

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dated more cheaply at the Victoria High School. During the past fourteen years, however, the annual cost of Saanich pupils at the high school had risen from $3,000 to $30,000. During that period the total cost had been over $178,000, said Mr. Hobbs, and, beyond the fact that the pupils had been educated, Saanich had nothing to show in return for this expenditure but a sheaf of receipts.

Trustees Jeune, Tomes, Fyvie and Brooks each spoke in support of Trustee Hobbs' remarks. They had arrived at no hasty conclusion, they said, but had gone carefully over the ground, step by step. They realised that the time had arrived for settling, once for all, the educational future of the children of Saanich. The board had looked at several sites and had arrived at the conclusion that those mentioned were the two which were most suitable.

Trustee Tomes added a rider to the effect that the board felt as regarded the Health Centre, that they could put that building to a use which would obtain far better results, and be of greater advantage to the people of Saanich than was the present case.

ARRANGE CONFERENCE

Reeve W Crouch pointed out that it would be impossible to put the Health Centre site as a referendum to the people at the present time. If Judge Lampman should decide in favor of secession, he pointed out, the Health Centre, lying as it did in the portion of a ward at present applying for disincorporation would be in a disorganized district.

He agreed with Trustee Hobbs that the matter was one which should be discussed in detail between the council and the school board. With this end in view a round table conference has been arranged to take place in the Municipal Hall on Monday night.

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EXCLUSION OF U.S. EXPORTS IS PROPOSED

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The acting Conservative leader submitted to the House that, "There is something seriously wrong in regard to the trade of this country with the United States." The Dominion was buying too much from the country to the south and selling too little. Canada found herself with an adverse trade balance insofar as her transactions with the republic were concerned, amounting to $333,000,000.

IF U.S. TARIFF RAISED

Mr Guthrie said he realized that the United States market was the most convenient for Canada and in many respects the very best market in which to sell Canadian farm products. "But," he added, "if the tariff of that country is raised so high that we cannot enjoy that market, then we will have to shape ourselves to enjoy the Canadian market to the fullest extent, and at the same time to seek other markets throughout the world. In order to do this, however, we shall need to have a fair application of the principle of protection in our customs tariff."

Mr Guthrie's reference to the United States came toward the close of his speech on the budget. As acting Conservative leader and chief financial critic of the Opposition he led off today in the debate on the budget. His speech was lengthy. For more than two hours he dealt with the financial statement of Hon. J. A Robb, Minister of Finance, and his remarks were strongly critical. He concluded by moving an amendment expressing regret "that the financial proposals of the Government make no provision for reasonably safeguarding and protecting interests of those engaged in agricultural pursuits or in industrial employment in Canada."

Lighter Crops in Okanagan Valley Likely This Year

VERNON, B.C., March 7.—Reports of serious damage to the fruit trees and buds because of Winter conditions are premature, according to Maurice Middleton, provincial horticulturist. Mr. Middleton's district includes the whole of the Okanagan from Osoyoos to Salmon Arm, and though there is some frost injury to fruit buds, reports from all sources indicate that it is light. The apple trees show it very little. Soft fruits, such as cherries, apricots and peaches, are more liable to injury. However, it is not from this source that trouble is feared. There is uncertainty regarding possible root injury, particularly in the South, where the covering of snow did not come soon enough or to a sufficient depth to give a real blanket protection. If there is root injury it will not be known for some time.

It is not expected that the fruit crop will be a bumper one this season in any event, as the crop was heavy last year in many fruits.

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LIBRARIES OF B.C. DEVELOP

Report of Public Library Commission Shows Substantial Progress, Particularly in Traveling Service

RURAL SCHOOLS RECEIVE BOOKS

The greatly enlarged use of the libraries of the province, amounting in the case of the traveling libraries to 40 per cent, a total circulation in all the library service of over 1,400,000, the taking over of the book service of the Provincial Health Nurses' Association, and a brief report of the library survey completed last Autumn, are some of the more interesting features of the report for 1928 of the Public Library Commission.

The British Columbia library service, as the report points out, is carried out through six public libraries, twenty-eight public library associations, the Traveling Library which serves rural communities and schools, and the Library by Mail, or Open Shelf. The six public libraries in Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Nanaimo, Nelson and Prince Rupert show a total circulation of 1,203,883, with 157,506 volumes, 67,644 borrowers, and a total income of $132,209. Victoria has 21,289 books on it shelves and Nanaimo 4,007. The Nanaimo Library Board has bought its building from the municipal council, paying for it in annual instalments. New Westminster has remodeled its building and is now under control of the library board according to the terms of the Public Libraries Act.

The first in Canada to establish the traveling library system, British Columbia is now giving packages of books every six months or more to 263 places. Many communities made application for reading matter, but there was not a sufficient supply available. There were 30,743 volumes sent out, the circulation reaching 109,155. This is an increase of nearly 40 per cent upon last year, when the circulation was 80,012. There was an increase of nearly 6,000 borrowers. The report urged the need of an increased appropriation for more books in order to meet the growing demand as well as to adequately replenish the stock.

The Open Shelf also has been more largely used during the past year. Over 8,000 volumes have been sent out by mail as against 6,633 of the previous year, an increase of over 30 per cent. This library service is available for any who makes application, the borrower paying the return postage, and includes no fiction. During the last five years the borrowers from the Open Shelf have increased eightfold.

The commission supplied fifty-three rural schools with 2,565 volumes. Here again many applications were refused for lack of books. The report stresses the "utter inadequacy of school libraries in rural schools" and states that the relations between the library commission and the schools is every year growing more intimate.

Five new public library associations have been organized during the past year, at Armstrong, Kamloops, Ocean Falls, Quesnel and Vernon. There are associations on the Island at Alberni, Courtenay, Cumberland, Duncan, Ganges, Sidney and Shawnigan. The commission loans books to the associations on condition that the traveling libraries are made free to all citizens of the community.

The estimates for the coming year were set in the report at $20,152, an increase of nearly $3,000 over last year, of which $1,200 was designated for books and the remainder for grants, freight and office supplies.

The outstanding event of the year in the work of the Public Library Commission, according to the report, was the completion of the library survey by Mr. C. B. Lester of the Wisconsin Free Library Association, the findings of which were made by a survey council of thirty-eight members along with a research board of librarians, and was presented to the Provincial Secretary last November. The commission urges the publication of this report in view of the general interest that was aroused in connection with the survey.

The main proposals recommended by the survey council are six in number. They are the erection of large self-supporting library districts in more closely settled portions of the province, a greatly improved traveling library service, supply of the marine area by means of library boats, linking of school libraries with the general library service of the community, and demonstration or object lessons in modern library service in selected areas. In this connection the report states that negotiations are going forward under which considerable assistance might be given towards the proposed expansion.

The commission consisted of Dr. N. F. Black, of Vancouver; Mrs. Laura E. Jamieson, of Vancouver, and Miss C. R. Frame of Victoria. Mr. H. H. Killam acting as secretary. Following the resignation of Miss Frame through ill health, Mr. John Hosie, the provincial librarian, has been appointed the third member.

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President Calls Congress Session To Open April 15

WASHINGTON, March 7.—An extra session of the seventy-first congress for April 15, was called today by President Hoover.

Specifically the call proposes legislation for agricultural relief and "for limited changes of the tariff."

The proclamation says that these matters can not, in justice "to our farmers, our labor and our manufacturers be postponed."

TRANSFERS AMONG ENGINEERS MADE

Public Works Department Brings About Many Changes in Staff Appointments

It is announced in the Department of Public Works that consequent upon the resignation of Major E. M. Taylor, district engineer at Kamloops, that a number of changes will result in the service promotions following to a number of men. Major Taylor's retirement is for the purpose of taking an important position with a contracting firm.

His place will be taken by Mr. Evan S. Jones, transferred from Williams Lake. Mr. Jones has just carried through successfully the construction of the Quesnel bridge, the success of which has been referred to before. District Engineer H. Hayne will be removed from Fernie to Williams Lake. Mr. Hayne is a former Vancouver Island man, having had considerable experience in both highway and railway construction there. District Engineer W. H. Stevens goes from Golden to Fernie, and the Golden position will be taken by Mr. W. G. Biker, formerly of the Lands Department.

By a reorganization of the Lillooet district the area under the supervision of District Engineer G. N. Stowe will be extended to take in the northern part. Mr. Stowe at present covers the North Vancouver area and the lower part of Lillooet. Owing to transportation arrangements it has been found necessary that he should reside in Vancouver, that being the most convenient point from which he can go out over the several parts of his territory. In the northern end of Lillooet he will have the assistance of a very competent general road foreman, Mr. Howard Reed. This arrangement releases Assistant Engineer O. G. Gallaher, who has had charge in northern Lillooet, for service at Merritt, where he will succeed Mr. H. L. Swan who, in his turn, goes to Cranbrook as district engineer.

Among other changes announced by the Department of Lands is an exchange by which Mr. G. C. Tassie goes from Vernon to Smithers, and Mr. G. H. Pethick from Smithers to Vernon. Mr. Tassie has had very wide experience along lines which make him particularly useful in view of the mining development that is beginning in the territory served by the Canadian National Railways. Mr. G. P. Roberts, who, as a member of the temporary staff, has been engaged in road location and survey work, will take the position of assistant engineer at Revelstoke. Mr. George Young, general foreman at Bella Coola, has been transferred to Powell River. By a transfer effected some months ago, Mr. G. C. MacKay left Prince Rupert for Pentleton. Mr. W. K. Gwyer, who while in charge of that office had conducted important location surveys in the Big Bend area, succeeding Mr. MacKay.

With only two or three exceptions, the officials named above are overseas men, many of them having distinguished records. Major Taylor won recognition as an officer of the Royal Engineers. He was trained in Glasgow, and after seeing service on important engineering works in the Old Country, came to Canada to take part in Canadian Northern Railway construction. He was one of the most valued members of the engineering staff of the Public Works Department, on which he had served for many years.

Fellowship Award Goes to Nephew Of Local People

Mr. Homer A. Thompson, who graduated from the University of British Columbia in 1925, has been appointed to a Rockefeller Foundation fellowship of $1,500 a year for archaeological research in Greece.

He is a nephew of Rev. and Mrs. E. Macqueen, of Quadra Street.

Mr. Thompson is one of two graduate students to be selected from continental universities to assist in archaeology under the American School at Athens. His special work will be in connection with the excavation of the Agora—the ancient Greek market place—under arrangements made between the United States and the Greek Governments.

At the university Mr. Thompson took an honors course in classics and was president of the Classics Club. He was business manager of the college paper, The Ubyssey. Following graduation, he spent two years on the staff of the university classics department. For the last two years he has held a fellowship in classics at the university at Ann Arbor, Mich., where he is studying for his Ph.D. degree. Professor B. D. Merrit, of that university is partly responsible for the recommendation of Mr. Thompson for the post.

ROTARIANS HEAR REV. M. W. J. BRUCE

Rev. Montague W. J. Bruce, who recently returned here from England, yesterday afternoon addressed the Rotary Club at the Empress Hotel on the activities of Rotary Clubs in Great Britain.

Mr. Arthur Brown recounted experiences in the automobile wrecking business, with a detailed description of the systems used in classifying the hundreds of parts.

The Rotary Club will co-operate with the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., in organizing a bridge drive on April 12 at Amphion Hall. The Rotary Club will be responsible for sixty of the hundred tables. The proceeds will be given the milk fund of the chapter.

TO MAKE MOTOR TRAFFIC SAFE

VANCOUVER COUNCIL SENDS DELEGATION TO INTERVIEW MINISTER

Mr. Percy Abell, Secretary of Safety League, Accompanies Delegates—Amendments Suggested

Mr. Percy Abell, secretary of the British Columbia Safety League, was in the city yesterday at the invitation of the Vancouver City Council, to accompany its delegation which interviewed the Attorney-General in the morning, making recommendations of amendments to the Provincial Motor Vehicles Act. These amendments, they feel, will have the effect, Mr. Abell stated, of materially reducing motor accidents and fatalities.

In the delegation were Alderman J. H. de Graves, Mr. Oscar Orr, prosecuting attorney; Mr. J. B. Williams, city solicitor; Mr. A. E. Craddock, secretary of the Automobile Club of British Columbia; Mr. A. W. Cruise, representing the Vancouver Motor Dealers' Association and the Automobile Club of British Columbia.

Mr. Abell stated that a very pleasant and sympathetic hearing was given the delegation by Hon. R. H. Pooley, whom they found very much alive to the necessity for the establishment of better motor traffic conditions, and it is their hope that their suggestions, in part at least, may be incorporated in legislation at the present session of the Legislature.

While in the city, Mr. Abell took the opportunity to address the scholars of the Esquimalt schools on the subject of "Safety in the Home, at Play and on the Streets," this school work being one of the outstanding features of the work carried on by the British Columbia Safety League.

During his interview with the delegation the minister called into consultation Superintendent of Provincial Police J. H. McMullin, and his chief assistant, Inspector Hood.

SUMAS BILL IS ADVANCED STAGE

Relief Measure Will Add $86,500 to Amount Already Allocated

The bill to grant relief to the Sumas settlers passed its second reading last evening in the House. The bill was objected to by the Opposition on the ground that the relief that was provided for last year was sufficient. The Minister of Agriculture, Hon. W. Atkinson, in reply to Mr. A. M. Manson, said that there would be some $86,500 further relief granted under this bill, which represented some thirty-two areas of land there.

Mr. Atkinson explained that the relief that had been afforded the year before was made applicable to only eighty acres, and worked an injustice upon the larger holders. He instanced cases where there was a readiness to pay up the back taxes if the whole of the land were granted relief, instead of only eighty acres of the holding.

Mr. Manson described the large holders as speculators, and quoted the report of last year's commission to bear this out.

Mr. Atkinson did not know that they should be so classified.

Mr. T. D. Pattullo said that if the matter had been left to follow its course, the money would have been paid in any instance. These men were not paying more in any event than it had cost the dwellers on the cleared-off lands to bring their areas under cultivation.

Ann—Are you interested in sports?
Fan—Well, I only know one and he's not so very sporty.

STEWART OUSTED BY J. ROCKEFELLER, JR.

WHITING, Ind., March 7.—Colonel Robert W. Stewart was deposed as chairman of the board of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana today at the annual stockholders' meeting.

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BETTER PLAYING FIELDS

The responsibility of providing better playing fields in this city rests very largely with the municipal authorities since it is municipal grounds that are concerned. The Parks Board is the body to which the sporting public looks for the maintenance of the playing fields in Beacon Hill, Victoria West and Central Parks. The playing fields at the Royal Athletic Park and at the Willows grounds are in better shape than any other of those municipally controlled. The city is to provide new grandstand accommodation at the Royal Athletic Park. This is a step in the right direction. It is, however, in connection with Beacon Hill, Central and Victoria West Parks that improvements are sadly needed, and time and again municipal attention has been directed to the state of the playing fields in these open spaces and the handicaps under which players labor.

There is a general impression that the Parks Board could well function more in the interests of the public than it does at present. Playing fields are an important asset in any community, but their value has so far failed to be recognized to anything like the extent to which it ought by the personnel of the Parks Board. It may be that the members of that board are not particularly interested in sport; it is, however, their duty to be, to the extent that they are the guardians of sporting interests. As an outcome of representations made to the Parks Board by a committee representing soccer players that body is to examine the grounds, and, presumably, see what can be done. The improvements needed are obvious and they can be carried out in an inexpensive way. If there had been permanent maintenance and improvement the expense incurred would have proved a great deal less than that now facing the municipality because of the condition of comparative desuetude into which the playing fields have been allowed to fall.

One of the greatest assets of the parks is the playing fields they contain. The Parks Board should consist of a personnel which has a thorough appreciation of the needs of the sporting public. It should be derogatory to the sense of self-respect entertained by Victorians to ask for anything in the nature of a public subscription for park improvements. The taxpayers provide money for the maintenance of the parks; it is the duty of the Parks Board to see that it is expended in such a way as will provide the greatest good for the greatest number of people. Where playing fields are concerned and improvements to them needed expert advice should be secured. As matters stand the Parks Board seems at a loss to know how to go about putting the grounds into better shape, and, so far as the main Beacon Hill playing field is concerned, a certain ignorance seems to prevail about the amount of money that will be required. The provision of better playing fields in municipally-controlled parks is strictly a municipal duty. The small sum of money that will be necessary can be provided, and possibly out of routine park expenditures, without any other civic interest suffering.

INVOLVED PHRASEOLOGY

The terminology employed in the preparation of legislation seems to be past praying for; too many Bills are considered incomplete unless adorned with involvements and parentheses. Legislation occasionally seems designed either to bemuse the taxpayers or to open up possibilities of recourse to the courts of the land so that interpretation of what is meant can be secured. It is an unwritten rule that only lawyers can draw up law and few of those so engaged on the task have acquired the practice of using straightfitting words and few. There is a grammatical shibboleth among lawyers to be as sparing as possible of punctuation and to let a sentence pursue a devious course before it reaches a full stop. This is noticeable in judgments handed down from the Bench; it is emphasized in the preparation of legislation.

Where private bills before our Provincial Legislature are concerned it is almost hopeless to expect, except where the legislation is of the simplest variety, straightforward terminology. The draft of "An Act for the Relief of Dairy Farmers," is a case in point. It contains one sentence of no fewer than 317 words, divided into two paragraphs, with the "liberal" distribution of six commas, one colon and one semicolon. This particular sentence contains the "meat and substance" of the proposed legislation. It could have been split up and made decidedly more intelligible by the interpolation of half a dozen, or more, full stops. A few commas, added where necessary from a grammatical viewpoint, would have been so many more glimmers of lucidity.

The terminology of legislation suggests that some definite reform is desirable. The Government, for its own Bills, might well have a committee of its permanent officials appointed for the purpose of editing legislation. It is in the matter of editing that legislation stands so sadly in need of reform. Such a committee, in the interests of making laws which the public can readily understand, should not necessarily be composed of lawyers unless one can be found who can use simple language that is interpretative of specific thought and intention. Editorial supervision would at least make for grammatical Bills, for laws in language that is not involved, for definite phrases of plain significance. Unquestionably much time of the Legislature is lost because its members do not understand the implications of the laws with which they are called upon to deal. They fail to fathom these because of the legal phraseology, unnecessarily complicated and involved. That is one reason why so many amending Acts appear on the Statute books. In the interests of common sense and for the better dispatch of the business of the province, the language of statutes can stand a good deal of simplification.

BRITISH NAVY ESTIMATES

Within a few days the British Navy Estimates for the fiscal year 1929-1930 will be laid before the House of Commons, and, under the provisions of the five-year schedule of 1925, these are expected to involve more tonnage than in any year of the period. Under the schedule the programme will include three cruisers, one aircraft-carrier, nine destroyers, six submarines (five of the overseas patrolling type and one of a new fleet type), and one net layer, or in all twenty units. With the desire to show Britain's good faith in the matter of a reduction in naval armaments, it has been the practice for the last two years to drop certain ships from the cruiser programme. It is not known if a similar procedure will be adopted this year in view of new considerations affecting the relative naval strength of the Powers having arisen.

One factor in naval construction likely to have a bearing on the forthcoming British Estimates is the projected German "pocket battleship." This new unit, if it fulfills the claims made on its behalf, is likely to lead to a revolution in naval shipbuilding. Britain is in the position now where she has to recover lost ground in naval construction, because already three cruisers, allocated to former years for the replacement of old and obsolete vessels, have been dropped. Naval authorities are aware that the process of replacement has been too slow. They understand, also, that the gestures made in dropping vessels from the construction programme have not had the effect intended. These gestures were with the desire of setting an example to other countries in reducing tonnage. The result has been the opposite because other Powers have announced increases in naval building programmes. Every impairment in strength voluntarily brought about by Britain reduces her bargaining power at any naval conference for a reduction of armaments. Since the Armistice, and up to December 31 last, Britain has scrapped a total of 2,160,291 tons of naval vessels. She has also dropped vessels out of her naval programme of construction without any reciprocal concessions from other nations. These are facts likely to play an important part in the coming Naval Estimates.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 7, 1929.

TEMPERATURES

		Min.	Max.
Victoria		39	49
Nanaimo		37	46
Vancouver		40	50
Kamloops		30	44
Barkerville		18	28
Estevan Point	(rain, .06)	30	46
Prince Rupert	(rain, .68)	32	40
Atlin		8b	8
Dawson		12b	12b
Seattle	(rain, .12)	42	48
Portland		42	54
San Francisco	(rain, .20)	52	58
Spokane		32	46
Los Angeles		52	60
Penticton		33	54
Vernon		29	46
Grand Forks		27	49
Nelson		34	45
Kaslo		33	34
Cranbrook		33	43
Calgary	(snow, trace)	0	38
Edmonton		0	16
Swift Current	(snow, trace)	4	20
Prince Albert	(snow, 1.40)	18b	4
Qu'Appelle		16b	22
Winnipeg	(snow, .60)	16b	6

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly winds; generally fair and mild.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair and not much change in temperature.

THURSDAY

Maximum	49
Minimum	39
Average	44
Minimum on the grass	38

Bright sunshine, 8 hours 48 minutes.
Rain, .03 inch.
General state of the weather, fair.

8 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.81; wind, S., 18 miles; fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.90; wind, N.E., 4 miles; fair.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.72; wind, S.E., 4 miles; fair.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.78, wind, S., 20 miles; fair.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.82; wind, S.E., 20 miles; fair.
Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.86; wind, S.E., 10 miles, fair.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.90; wind, S.W., 4 miles; clear.
Portland—Barometer, 29.94, wind, S.W., 6 miles; cloudy.
Seattle—Barometer, 29.90, wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94, wind, W., 6 miles, fair.

TOMORROW

Tomorrow I will see the great sun rise,
Wide-winged and sceptred with irradiate gold,
Tomorrow I will watch the gates unfold
That shall admit me to new earth, new skies;
Hands shall no more be listless nor mine eyes
Drowsing to slumber, but with joy untold
I will encompass all that I can hold,
And give my life to passionate enterprise—

Tomorrow.
But the siren-calls delay,
Old longing lures to labyrinths of dream.
Shunning their task, my hands hang at my side
Or drop dead flowers into a loitering stream
Tomorrow I will arise. Yet I abide
Watching the dying sunsets, day by day.
—Arthur L. Salmon in The London Observer.

WOOD FIRES

Every one knows how to light a fire better than anyone else, but I hope that a somewhat unusual experience may be useful if added to those already related by other correspondents. When in British Columbia in the late nineties, I often lent a hand to settlers who were clearing the heavily-timbered land for cultivation. After the trees were felled, and a sufficient time had elapsed, it was necessary to destroy most of them by fire. The method of making the fire was instructive. A number of logs were laid side by side on the ground, and other logs laid on top of these, all parallel to them, until a huge pile was formed, which when lighted burnt merrily. From this I learnt that to get the most satisfactory results from a wood fire it is best to build the fire on the hearth in the same way, all the logs, or pieces of wood, lying side by side—not criss-cross—and being drawn together from time to time as in process of burning they fall apart.—The Rev. C. Arthur Mount, The Vicarage, Aldermaston, Reading, England.

AN OBJECTIONABLE SCHOOLBOOK

The attention of The Advance has been called to a song book which the children in the public schools are being asked to purchase for use in singing classes. This song book is printed and published in a foreign country, and the first six or seven songs in it are alien patriotic numbers that would generally be considered as objectionable for general use by Canadian children. It is not the best of policy, surely, to have children in this British country singing in terms of adoration of a country other than their own. In the song book referred to there seems to be only one Canadian song, and no British ones of patriotic trend. —Porcupine Advance.

Pigmies placed on the shoulders of giants see more than the giants themselves.—Robert Burton.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

W. W. Jacobs, who has written some very amusing stories about barges, bargemen and bargees, created an entertaining character named Ginger Dick, who loved his pot of beer and could not keep out of difficult complications. We never read the daily reports of the proceedings in the Legislature without thinking about Ginger Dick. Of course there is no Ginger Dick in the Legislature, but there is a Ginger Group there, making trouble for itself and trying to make trouble for the fellows on the other side. Equally of course the Ginger Group is on the Opposition side and the other fellows are on the Government side.

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Ginger Dick was always ready for a fight, but he was not particularly strong physically, and generally got the worst of the encounters he provoked. The Ginger Group in the Legislature is just like the Ginger Dick in the stories. It is always looking for a fight, and it generally gets its hair mussed up in the scuffles. But there was one temperamental or fundamental difference between Ginger Dick and the Ginger Group. Ginger Dick nursed no animosities. After he had partaken of a pot of beer he was always ready to shake hands and fraternize in amity with his shipmates and bibulous associates of the waterfront. The Ginger Group is not like that.

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The Ginger Group was once a majority group which exulted in its strength and carried its head high and things with a high hand in the Legislature and in the province. Today it is a minority group, and the irony of the situation is of a corrosive quality. The Premier summed up the situation very neatly and aptly when he said the Opposition felt very badly about its defeat. The Ginger Group of the Opposition simply cannot realize that is on the other side of the House because it deserves to be there. It cannot understand that it is where it is today because of any defects in the administration which it supported and to a large extent directed. It does not attribute its misfortune to the people of the province. It affects to believe that its downfall was brought about by the reprehensible conduct of certain individuals who made speeches and statements that deceived the people and induced them to vote against the late Government.

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But if the Ginger Group is somewhat frenzied in its anger against the decrees of fate and the triumph of its political enemies, it is somewhat discreet in singling out special objects of attack. It occasionally masses what is left of its forces and discharges broadsides against the Government, but it never hides under cover and snipes at the leader of the Government. It tolerates the Premier, it hates the Minister of Education and it does not love the Attorney-General. Thus the Ginger Group, which is not notable for either its judgment or discretion, unwittingly pays compliments to the Premier and his Ministry. It intimates that the position of the Premier is impregnable and that it is necessary to destroy the confidence of the people in the other Ministers.

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Ginger Dick was not a strong character. But he was what Artemus Ward called a "most amoosin' cuss" nevertheless. The Ginger Group is not a strong group, but its actions are amusing and interesting. Ginger Dick's friends considered him an object of ridicule and his enemies regarded him as a joke. The activities of the Ginger Group are not impressive. They have not the slightest effect upon the proceedings of the Legislature. The Premier would have been justified in saying that the gossip introduced into the obstructive discourses of the members of the Ginger Group was the silliest kind of piffle instead of saying whatever he said that was declared unparliamentary. It is the duty of the Opposition to oppose of course, but it is not the duty of the Opposition to oppose everything the Government proposes simply for the purpose of displaying resentment against members of the Government and against the people who turned out one Government and put in another. That is a perverted view of the functions of an opposition.

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The Premier is characteristically tolerant of the tactics of the Ginger Group, and the other members of the Government may be willing to make allowances for displays of spleen on the floor of the House by the introduction of such resolutions as those affecting the position of the Minister of Education, but it should be a dangerous thing for an opposition to make itself an object of derision in the minds of the people.

GALE HITS ONTARIO

TORONTO, March 7.—A northwesterly gale which in some places assumed blizzard-like proportions, sweeping over Ontario last night and today, was responsible for two deaths, considerable property damage and interference with electrical communication facilities.

Near London, Joseph Yeo, Canadian National Railways sectionman, was fatally injured when struck by a train as he was patrolling the track in a blinding snowstorm, while at Goderich, Herbert McLean, fifty-five, lost his life when he was hurled from a roof which he was repairing.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

BIBLE READING IN SCHOOLS

Sir,—Mr. Mackay's letter of the 19th ult. merely repeats the misstatements Captain Thain and the writer exposed. The issue in debate is between secular education and "Bible reading without comment," and Catholics condemn the latter, and such objection demolishes Mr. Mackay's contention that Bible reading is unsectarian. Being sectarian it is unfair and impracticable in our public schools. Catholics and Nonconformists also, when the latter are true to their principles, oppose Bible reading in public schools, and support the secular solution for the same reason, viz., that in such schools it is the only method that is "fair to all." It was Mr. Mackay who misrepresented the Catholic attitude, for his former letter insinuated that Catholics preferred "Bible reading" to the secular system, which is untrue, whereas the quotations we gave showed (as everyone knows) that Catholics do not favor any schools in which Catholicism "does not reign," but that "they would much prefer purely secular schools to the imposition of 'the Bible and the Bible only.'" To say that a boy prefers cascara to castor oil does not in the least imply that he is an enthusiast for the former, and in our second letter we called attention to the fact that in Ontario Catholics have their own schools. As already stated, Bishop O'Donnell intimated to us that we had stated the position correctly. To have gone further and explained the reasons why the Catholic Church adopts this attitude would have been a presumption on our part, and we in fact invited him to explain the Catholic attitude himself, and in doing so he made short work of Mr. Mackay's insinuation that Catholics were in favor of the suggested change.

Mr. Mackay again repeats the false allegation against secular education which was demolished by the passage we quoted from Dr. Parker. His remarks about "God Save the King" are merely a repetition of the misrepresentation of his opponent's arguments that we exposed in connection with "Milton's sublime epic." His objection to our citation of the decisions of American courts is equally futile; for if he was ever acquainted with the subject he would be aware that America is the only country where litigants have hitherto claimed that "Bible reading without comment" is unsectarian, and as reason and justice know no geographical boundaries, the same principles which made it impossible for American judges to assent to Mr. Mackay's contention would prevail if the issue was raised elsewhere.

He again resorts to the misrepresentation that secular education leads to crime. We showed that it does nothing of the sort either in Canada, Australia or New Zealand, and therefore his suggestion that it is the cause of crime in America is plainly an instance of the fallacious argument, "post hoc ergo propter hoc."

On that basis anyone could, with equal justification, contend that prohibition and baseball were products of secular education. We did not "dig up" the statement of the warden of Sing Sing. Mr. Mackay ought to have seen it himself in his club in the review which appeared as recently as last month in The Literary Digest. It was Mr. Mackay himself who dragged in the subject of the relation of religious education and crime. The matter is not to be decided by the dogmatic assertions of your correspondent, for it has been exhaustively investigated by men who have devoted their lives to the science of sociology and criminology and we express no opinion of our own, but only their verdict when we stated that the evidence entirely failed to support his case.

Two quotations must suffice. Spencer "Social Statistics" page 170, says "The fact is that scarcely any connection exists between morality and the discipline of ordinary teaching. Creeds posted upon the mind, good principles learnt by rote, lessons in right and wrong, will not eradicate vicious propensities. If armies of teachers, regarded with a certain superstitious reverence, have been unable to purify society in eighteen centuries, it is hardly likely that armies of teachers, not so regarded, will be able to do so. No drilling in catechisms, no teaching of moral codes can affect this. From all legislative attempts at emotional education may Heaven defend us. Crime is the continual breaking out of the old unadapted nature, the index of a character unfitted to its conditions, and only as fast as the unfitness diminishes can crime diminish. Crime is incurable save by that gradual process of adaption to the social state which humanity is undergoing."

In Bongers' "Criminality" (modern criminal science series) the author states that a survey of recent criminal statistics throughout the Netherlands gave the following proportion of offenders per 10,000 for each of the four groups into which the population was divided, Catholics, four; Protestants, three, Jews, two; and nonsectarian, less than one. And he comments: "We have not the task of explaining the fact, we can only bring it out, and we have the right to declare that the thesis, 'irreligion (defined as nonassociation with any cult) leads to crime,' is not correct. In the Netherlands irreligion has increased 1,500 per cent in thirty years. The curve of crime has fallen without a doubt. It is a dogma with which, therefore, we have nothing to do." And yet it is on this dogmatic proposition that "secular education is irreligious and therefore leads to crime" that the opponents of secular education base their case. Both contentions are false. As Rev. H. V. Hitchcox stated a few days ago at Nanaimo, the cry that the younger generation is less sound morally than its predecessors has given rise to the clamor for Bible instruction in the schools. He disagreed and stated that in his opinion the past generation, although Bible instructed, was not any more truth-living, honest seeking" than the generation of today. Therefore whether we make "creed" or "sound morals" the test, the present agitation is found to be based on falsehood.

Mr. Mackay finally seeks to brush aside the numerous quotations from Nonconformist leaders in favor of secular education and opposed to Bible reading or other religious instruction in public schools as being "contrary to" one of the most fundamentally and universally acknowledged principles of nonconformity by suggesting that "they may have been written when attempts were made to force sectarianism into public schools." That is not the case. They were, in fact, written in 1907 or later, when the Liberal party, supported by the whole weight of nonconformity, was in power, and these men were urging the Government and their own followers to be loyal to the basic principle of Liberal nonconformity by enacting the secular system, and, as Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman intimated, he would have done so if he could have overcome the veto of the House of Lords. But in fact Mr. Mackay's allegation, if true, would be a terrible indictment of nonconformity, for it implies that a Nonconformist changes his principles, whenever it suits him to do so, as easily as a man changes his coat. And if the suggestion is true, then it is the older, not the younger, generation that needs further instruction in morality.

A. B. SANDERS.
804 Foul Bay Road, Victoria, B.C., March 4, 1929.

VICTORIA HIGH SCHOOL

Sir,—I am sorry to see that the Victoria Board of School Trustees have seen fit to act so precipitately touching Saanich pupils. In view of the fact that the School Board appears to be in some doubt as to its powers under the act, touching various points, I should have thought that it might have first obtained a ruling from the Council of Education, and when it has all the information at its disposal then canvass and formulate a policy. There, of course, may be good reasons for the precipitation, one of which may be that the trustees wish Saanich property owners to have early notice of Victoria's intentions, so that when the vote is taken Saanich property owners may be under no misapprehension.

Regarding the ages of the pupils as mentioned in tonight's paper, there would appear to have been some changes since the School Board published the advertisement on the eve of the voting for the technical school. According to this advertisement there were enrolled in January the following: 488 under the age of fifteen, who are entitled to free education, 418 of the age of fifteen years who are entitled to accommodation, but may be charged a fee, which is recoverable through the courts, 467 of the age of sixteen years and upward, who are not entitled to accommodation, and therefore the School Board, if accommodation is available, can accept on the condition that fees are payable in advance.

A glance at the above shows that there 906 for whom the School Board is under a mandate to provide accommodation, leaving accommodation available for a further ninety-four overage pupils, to bring the total to 1,000, of whom fees may be charged for 512, and if fees are, say at $16 per month, the income would be $51,200. There would also be a reduction in the teaching staff for 313 pupils, which would probably amount to about $10,000 per annum, and assuming that fifty scholarships are established at $100 each, the net income from this change would be about $37,000 or nearly 1½ mills.

All children of the age of sixteen and upward can be made to pay their fees in advance, thus avoiding having to sue, or, in the alternative, they can be denied admission, but children fifteen years of age being entitled to accommodation cannot be denied admission, therefore if fees are not paid the parents or guardians can be sued.

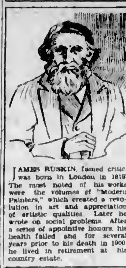
Regarding the complaint of too many "recommendations," I understand that some members of the board hold the view that this is out of the board's hands, but upon inquiry I find it is not so. In a publication issued by the Department of Education entitled "Programme of Studies for the Elementary Schools," page 130, I find this: "In a district where a high school is in operation entrance pupils ... who have been reported by their teachers to have covered satisfactorily the work prescribed by the Council of Public Instruction for entrance pupils, shall, unless the Board of School Trustees of the district, on or before June 1, request the Department of Education to give them a written examination, be issued entrance certificates on the recommendation etc." It appears that admission to high schools depends upon the possession of entrance certificates, but the School Board can call for examinations if it takes the trouble to notify the Department of Education by the first of June.

In view of the Victoria School Board's rather precipitate action regarding Saanich students I would call the attention of Saanich parents to an amendment which passed third reading on March 8, 1927, and is now part of the act to which the following clause is added to section 50 of the original act: "(o) To provide during any school year sufficient school accommodation and tuition, without the payment of tuition fees except as provided in section 140, for every non-resident child between six and sixteen years of age whose parents are, in the school district comprising the municipality, the registered owners of property on which the taxes during the previous calendar year amounted to at least seventy-five dollars."

I might mention that the above is not just my personal interpretation, but has been confirmed as a result of inquiries made by me.

H. HASTINGS.
2806 Foul Bay Road, Victoria, B.C., March 5, 1929.

Jots From Literature



JAMES RUSKIN, famed critic, was born in London in 1819. The most noted of his works were the volumes of "Modern Painters," which created a revolution in art and appreciation of artistic qualities. Later he wrote on social problems. After a series of appointive honors, his health failed and for several years prior to his death in 1900, he lived in retirement at his country estate.

MORE FASCINATING THAN FABLE

A DEADLY GAS

CARBON monoxide gas—the gas that comes from automobile exhaust pipes—may lose its terrors if certain experiments by which lives of gassed cats have been saved work as well with human beings.

This treacherous gas has neither odor nor taste nor color. And it gives no warning of its deadly work until it is too late, for it works like fiendish magic.

A person breathing its fumes gets dizzy, but before he has time to think of the cause of his dizziness, or sometimes even before he has time to realize that he is dizzy, he has toppled over, helpless and unconscious.

What the gas does to our bodies is this. It slips into the red corpuscles of our blood, pushing out the oxygen which is ordinarily carried in every one of these thousands of red corpuscles in every single drop of blood. Ordinarily the oxygen is taken from the air we breathe into our lungs and carried by the little red corpuscles to all parts of our bodies and used to burn up food and give us strength and energy.

But when we breathe carbon monoxide instead of air into our lungs, it gets into the red corpuscles, pushing out the oxygen and body. When it has slipped into every corpuscle in all the blood stream and pushed out all the oxygen which ought to be there, we are suffocated as surely as we would be in an air-tight box.

The carbon monoxide can get into the little red corpuscles more easily than oxygen—in fact 300 times more easily—and that is why it is so deadly a gas to breathe.

But in spite of this dangerous power of the gas, cats which were first gassed until they lost unconsciousness, have been saved because of a new discovery scientists have made.

Scientists have learned that the blood fluid in which these red corpuscles float through the body will itself hold oxygen if the oxygen is pumped into the body under pressure.

Ordinarily the oxygen is carried only in the red corpuscles, but by this new discovery we have learned that the blood fluid has the ability to carry an extra supply of the oxygen around to save the suffocating body whose red corpuscles are filled with the poisonous gas.

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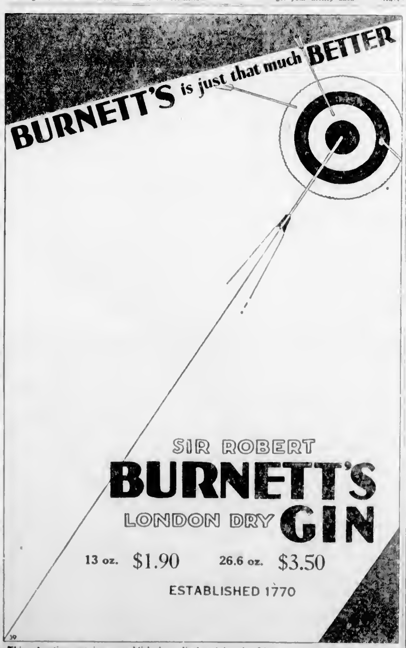

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Government Appreciates Teachers' Act on Annuity

Minister of Education Says Action in Providing Reserve Fund Has Simplified Superannuation Plan—Basis of Departmental Aid

In moving the second reading of the bill with respect to teacher's pensions at last night's session of the Legislature, Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe, Minister of Education, paid tribute to the generosity of the teachers, who, if they like, might avail themselves of the existing legislation, but had prepared one of their own, in which they relieved the Government of a considerable burden.

The Government at present gave a retiring allowance to aged and disabled teachers. There was every indication that the demand on this allowance would increase intensively. Knowing that whatever these teachers might contribute to the superannuation fund on the teachers' plan they would receive only a small monthly allowance, the teachers had provided, out of their own pockets, a reserve fund of between $100,000 and $120,000 to add to this retiring allowance, so as to bring the amount received by those almost ready for superannuation to a substantial amount.

Under the teachers' pension scheme the Government was to contribute to the fund an equal amount to that given by the contributor. These Government contributions, however, would not be made from year to year. They would only be used as a basis to compute the pension a teacher was entitled to receive on being superannuated. The pension would be paid out of the teachers' fund from the teachers' contribution. Only when that amount to the pensioner's credit out of his own contribution had been expended for this purpose would the Government contribution then be called upon. Then the Government would make its contribution, and not before.

The liability of the Government, however, was fixed at $25,000 for a period of ten years. This basis was believed to be entirely adequate. It was even expected that this liability would be decreased at the end of that period. It was pointed out by the minister that actuaries did not have figures on which to base the liability, inasmuch as they had no record of the number of women teachers who would reach the age of superannuation due to the lack of marriage records. In respect to the men the same condition existed in a somewhat different manner. The teaching profession for many of the men was but a stepping stone to other positions that might take them out of the teaching field, or place them into universities.

The minister considered it most generous on the part of the teachers to come to the aid of the Government, for they had every right to demand superannuation under the present scheme, the Legislature having committed itself to this effect.

SAANICH ASKED TO IMPROVE GROUNDS

Deputation from Playgrounds Association Seeks Aid of Council in Draining Playground

Representing the Saanich Playgrounds Association, Mr. D. S. Mowat headed a deputation which last night attended the meeting of the Saanich Council to ask that action be taken in improving the playground on Hampton Road.

Unless grounds were properly drained, said Mr Mowat, it was impossible to use them during the Winter season. He pointed out that much money had been appropriately spent in preliminary draining in the past, and the making of surface drains was all that was now necessary.

In supporting Mr Mowat's remarks, a representative of the juvenile Saanich football team said that the School Board would not allow juvenile teams to play on the school grounds. Consequently they were forced to go to the public grounds, where they had to compete with Victoria and Esquimalt teams who practised every day.

Mr Payne spoke of the suitability of the Hampton Road ground as a pitch for softball playing. At present, however, it had to be abandoned after October, he said, owing to the wet weather. His remarks were endorsed by the president of the Referees' Association.

Reeve Crouch promised the deputation that the matter should receive the full and sympathetic consideration of the council.

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Cards for European Emigrants in Transit

GENEVA, March 7.—The Council of the League of Nations approved a recommendation of its transit committee to convene a European conference on June 10 to frame an international agreement concerning the cards for emigrants in transit.

All the Governments of European states that are members of the League will be represented.

Obituary

BURKHOLDER—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Burkholder will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 3 o'clock, proceeding to the Metropolitan United Church, where service will be conducted by Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell at 3.15. The remains will be laid to rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CHRISTOPHER—The funeral of William Brown Christopher, who passed away on March 6, will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street. Rev. Dr. Barton will conduct the services, which will be private, and interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MERRITT—Many friends attended the funeral of Frederick E. Merritt, which took place on Thursday afternoon from the family residence. Rev. W. G. Wilson conducted the service. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park with the following as pallbearers: Messrs. A. H. Knott, J. Allan, R. Nixon, J. Thompson, A. R. Mackie and G. H. Knight.

ANDERSON—The funeral of Andrew Rennie Anderson will take place this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

PARGETER—There passed away on Thursday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Mrs. Emma Sarah Pargeter, aged sixty-nine years, relict of the late John Pargeter, a pioneer of Nanaimo, B.C. Mrs. Pargeter was born in England, and had resided in the province for forty years. She is mourned by three daughters, Mrs. Cyrus Nicholls, 1291 Holloway Street, Saanich, with whom she resided, Mrs. Harwood, of Nanaimo, B.C., and Mrs. W. Patterson, of Vancouver. The remains are at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, and will be forwarded on Saturday morning's train to Nanaimo, where interment will be made in the family plot.

HITCHIN—Many friends attended the funeral of Henry Hitchin, which took place on Wednesday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Rev. Daniel Walker conducted the service, during which the hymns, "O God, Our Help" and "Abide With Me" were sung. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery with the following as pallbearers: L. Jarvis, H. Jarvis, J. McColl, H. Gallop, T. Rigby and R. Alexander.

FIRST EDITION OF WALT WHITMAN IS GOING UP IN VALUE

TORONTO, March 7.—After reposing for twenty-five years on the shelf of a collector's library in Toronto, a first edition of Walt Whitman's poems has shot higher in price in the last six months than International Nickel.

For years the owner cherished the volume with no thought of sale. Then he let a private individual he believed interested in Whitman have it for $40, the price he had paid years before. The next day it became the property of a New York bookseller for $90. It was placed on the shelves of the New York store with the price plainly marked—$450. It lay there six weeks before it was disposed of for $1,300 to a purchaser who had already contracted to sell it for $1,800. The last sale recorded was $2,000—and it was still in a dealer's hands.

THE MAYOR TO BROADCAST

WILL CONTRIBUTE TO PROGRAMME ARRANGED BY VICTORIA ARTISTS

Special Entertainment to Be Given by Courtesy of Seattle Companies on Saturday

Through the courtesy of the Totem Broadcasters and the Puget Sound Navigation Company, of Seattle, a special radio broadcasting programme will be given tomorrow from station KOMO from 9.30 to 10.15 p.m. The programme has been arranged and will be broadcast by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau and the artists contributing will be Mr. Robert Webb, secretary of the Automobile Club of British Columbia, Mr. Thomas Kelway, Mr. Ernest Butterworth and Mrs. Clifford Warn (accompanist). His Worship Mayor Anscomb will also contribute to the programme.

Mr. George I. Warren will be the announcer, and before announcing each turn will utilize about fifteen minutes in giving short, snappy items of interest regarding Victoria. The programme follows:

1. Parodies on popular songs, introducing Victoria, city of sunshine and song.
2. Two songs, Thomas Kelway.
   (a) I Love the Moon ... Reubens
   (b) Trees ... Rasbach
3. Short talk by His Worship, Herbert Anscomb, Mayor of the City of Victoria.
4. Two songs, Ernest Butterworth
   (a) Mother of Mine ... Tours
   (b) The Rebel ... Wallace
5. Parodies on popular songs.
6. Two duets, Messrs. Kelway and Butterworth.
   (a) Selections from the Student Prince ... Shubert
   (b) Selections from Blossom Time ... Shubert
7. Monologue, "My Word," Robert Webb.
8. Song, Thomas Kelway. Paradise on Earth, from L'Africaine ... Meyerbeer
9. Duet, Messrs. Kelway and Butterworth. Si Pie Ciel, from Otello ... Verdi

Finale.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

REMEDY FOR "FLU" SUFFERERS

Sir,—For the benefit of those suffering from bronchial affections, which seem to follow "flu" attacks, the following remedy can be highly recommended:

"Beat up the white of an egg with a little sugar and lemon juice, and take as often as necessary. Cider vinegar may be substituted for lemon juice if the latter is not available."

The department will be pleased to send, upon receipt of a postcard, a circular dealing with uses for eggs other than for cooking purposes.

J. R. TERRY.

Department of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., March 7, 1929.

EARLY NEWSPAPERS

Sir,—Your correspondent, Mrs. Rathom, in this morning's Colonist states that the honor of being the first newspaper in British Columbia "belongs to neither The Victoria Gazette, The News Letter or The British Colonist," but suggests that this distinction belongs to La Courier de la Nouvelle Caledonie, and that it was published in 1856, making it two years before the others.

I wish to correct this, as I made a very careful study of these early papers some years ago and at that time found that the date of the first issue of La Courier was September 11, 1858. The question having come up again I have had the date verified by examination of the copy of this first issue in the Provincial Archives.

No direct evidence has been found so far to disprove the statement that the distinction of being British Columbia's first newspaper belongs to The Victoria Gazette, which was first published on June 25, 1858.

In regard to The News Letter, although I have no evidence at hand I believe that this was a San Francisco production, or that the first numbers were published in that city; similar to The San Francisco News Letter.

Many years ago the Hon. D. W. Higgins wrote an article in The Colonist entitled "Reminiscences of the Victoria Press." I would like to get the date of the article, as no doubt it would throw some light on these early papers.

JOHN FORSYTH.

851 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., March 6, 1929.

BIBLE IN THE SCHOOLS

Sir,—Rev. H. V. Hitchcox is reported as saying at Nanaimo that he had very little hope of seeing Bible reading introduced into our school system as the controversy that arose among the churches at the mention of the subject on other occasions would arise again and as before no amicable arrangement could or would be made.

Napoleon said of the army that the English were such fools that they did not even know when they were beaten. Has Canada, the daughter nation of the British Commonwealth, so lost the virility of the Mother Country that she wants to wilt at the first sign of opposition? Surely the religion of the British Empire is worth fighting for. The historian, J. R. Green, said, "No greater moral change (note the word moral) ever passed over a nation than passed over England during the years which parted the middle of the reign of Elizabeth from the meeting of the Long Parliament. England became the people of the Book, and that Book was the Bible."

Queen Victoria was asked by a foreign potentate as to what was the cause of England's sudden rise to power, wealth, influence and supremacy. She laid her hand on a nearby Bible and said, "This is the cause." Are our modern legislators going to give up "the Book," the source of all our greatness, without a struggle?

Another aspect is, what is the value, force and point of the opposition? If the Japanese wanted their religion taught in the schools the Legislature would have every right to refuse it on the grounds that this was a British Dominion and the religion of the British Empire was Christianity. But in this case the opposition to the Bible in the schools comes from Christian people. So, as I pointed out before, what legal logical or legitimate right have they to object to Bible reading, without comment, in the schools considering that the Bible is the basis and starting point of every single Christian sect? Without the Bible there would be no Christianity in any form.

It comes then to this that the only reason that is valid or entitled to any consideration from any member opposing the measure, is that they personally are not Christians and that therefore they do not believe in or want to have anything to do with the Bible. Whether or no they think they will be representing their constituency by so doing or that this action will be endorsed by them, is a question that they had better first find out for themselves. At the present moment the only members who, on purely personal, but not on representative grounds can legitimately vote against the use of the Bible, without comment, in the schools are the atheist, the Jew, the Sikh, the Japanese and the Chinese. Therefore as they are not a majority in the House the bill should be passed.

The bill should contain a clause to the effect that the parents of non-Christian children only may be permitted to absent their children from that lesson hour. Those who object would have to sign a certificate that their religion is non-Christian.

I. EARDLEY-WILMOT,
Colonel.

Shawnigan Lake, B.C., March 2, 1929.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

FROM THE DUST OF THE GROUND

"And Jehovah God formed man of the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul." Most of us do not realize that this is still true. The elements composing our bodies are actually found in the minerals of the earth and the gasses surrounding it. In other words, the food we eat is the soil from which the body grows. All of our food originates from the crude elements of the earth which were first refined by vegetable life, and perhaps later by animal life, before becoming delicate enough for the human digestion.

It is impossible, at the present time, to determine the exact difference between the iron found in the rocks and the iron found in such vegetables as spinach and celery, but there is some subtle difference.

There have been many attempts by doctors in the past to feed the crude elements, such as iron, calcium, iodine, etc., to human beings as medicine and food, and although the reports are somewhat conflicting, it is quite evident that these minerals must first be organized by the vegetable kingdom before they can be converted into a healthy cell structure within the human body.

The millions of small root-like villi of the small intestines are roots for sucking up the nourishment out of the vegetable and animal food, and the blood passing through these villi carries the nutrition to all parts of the body.

The plant must remain in one place and send its roots in search of food, but the human being and most animals are endowed with the ability to move from place to place in search of food. All of the higher animals really carry along their root system internally.

Since the body is built from the food which is eaten, it is necessary that the best be selected. The elements of which the body is composed are as follows: Oxygen, carbon, hydrogen, nitrogen, calcium, phosphorus, chlorin, sulphur, potassium, sodium, fluorin, magnesium, silicon, iron, manganese, iodine, aluminum, arsenic and copper. Each of these seems to be essential to life, although the exact use of the last three has not been fully determined. Practically all of these elements are found in every food as it is found in nature, but, of course, some foods are richer in one element and others are richer in another element.

Each element plays some special part in the growth or function of the body, some build into hair, some nerves, some bone and some are used to produce energy. If any element is not supplied to the body in sufficient quantity a disease or weakness is sure to result.

A short time ago I prepared two articles showing the foods richest in the different mineral elements and their uses in the body. I will be pleased to send these articles to anyone who is interested upon receipt of a large self-addressed stamped envelope.

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Bevan, after writing the letter to his banker, wrote a note to police headquarters with the key of his house enclosed, making known his plans. He also write a long letter and a poem to the press, and mailed cheques to cover his gas and electric accounts.

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A nice old gentleman was out at a party the other evening, and after the usual painful efforts of the vocalists and pianists, he turned to the eight-year-old daughter of the house.

"Now, Priscilla, dear," he said kindly, "won't you recite 'Mary Had a Little Lamb' for me?"

The small girl looked at him in silence for a moment before she replied.

"Really I would like to please, but I don't care for that poem. To be frank, it has little, if any, literary merit, and in addition it is not true to life nowadays. Owing to the high and ever-rising prices in the meat trade, I doubt if Mary could afford to buy a whole lamb. At the most I expect she had only a chop!"

"My boy, think of the future."
"I can't; it's my girl's birthday and I must think of the present."

GROWER MUST HAVE LARGER SHARE OF CROP

Pooling Section of Produce Bill Is Inserted to Provide for Handling of Lower Mainland Berry Crop

MARKETING ISSUE TO BE RAISED

That Okanagan fruitgrowers would seek legislation to give central marketing of fruit was forecast by Mr. J. W. Berry, when moving the second reading of the bill to amend the Produce Marketing Act at yesterday afternoon's session of the Legislature.

The agricultural committee had learned, during the course of its meetings to give consideration to this bill, that the fruit industry was still in a very difficult position. The troubles that existed when the Produce Market Act was instituted still existed, he said. It had been proven by the committee that the act had been of great assistance to the farmers, more so in 1928, the year of the big crop, than it had been in 1927, the year of the short crop. The marketing of fruits in 1928 had been made a great deal harder, he pointed out, by the loss of the dumping duty, which placed Okanagan fruitgrowers in competition with American quotations.

A total of 4,000,000 boxes of apples had been shipped during the 1928 season. The gross price of apples and other fruits and produce shipped by Okanagan farmers had been $10,000,000. The net figure, after packing costs had been deducted, was $6,000,000, he said. From this had to be deducted $2,000,000, which was paid over to the railways for freight charges. Other charges brought the actual sum received by the growers down to "the pitiable sum of $3,000,000."

The bill to amend the act was chiefly for the purpose of strengthening the hands of the committee of direction in the application and operation of the act.

One point he wished to clear up was that portion of the bill which gave power to pool fruit. This applied only to the soft fruit industry and would be used for only one day at a time, when the market was glutted with strawberries.

There was a growing feeling that the growers would finally ask for central marketing. This was the one thing they looked to improve the situation. Central marketing meant market through one channel, Mr. Berry explained. In this regard the question arose as to how they would achieve this. It could not be obtained voluntarily.

"Not many sessions will roll by before you will have the fruitgrowers coming here and asking for assistance to establish central marketing. I firmly believe that the Legislature will be asked to bring in a bill permitting this," Mr. Berry concluded.

Dr. Wrinch said he did not agree with compulsory action when results could be obtained by voluntary co-operation. The situation was such, however, that he was compelled to support the bill. The bill then passed its second reading.

SCOTTISH CONCERT SET FOR TONIGHT

A concert of special interest will be held in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church tonight at 8 p.m., when a programme of Scotch songs and instrumental music will be given by the following popular artists (gold medalists): Mrs. W. H. Wilson, soprano; Mrs. Alan Millhouse, contralto; Mr. W. C. Pyfe, tenor; Mr. Beverly Pyfe, baritone. Mr. Jack Smith will be the accompanist. An instrumental trio will be given by Miss Warnock, Miss D. Lee and Miss G. Lee, and a pianoforte duet by Miss Freda Seward and Mr. Jack Smith.

MR. J. MORAN DIES

VANCOUVER, March 7.—Known to all pioneers of Vancouver, William James Moran, a resident in this district since the year before the great fire, died in the General Hospital on Wednesday. Familiarly known as "Jimmy," Mr. Moran was born in Ireland in 1850, and came to Canada in 1876.

A Frenchwoman with a rather limited knowledge of the English language entered a chemist's shop and asked for face powder.

"Will you have it scented?" inquired the assistant.

"No," was the reply, "I vill take it vis me."

Rockgas System Is Demonstrated

Visitors Crowd Spacious Showrooms on Yates Street to View Installation

During the past few days the showrooms of the Vancouver Island Rockgas Distributors, 565 Yates Street, have been the centre of interest to large crowds which have been attending demonstrations of Rockgas uses and installations as well as daily cooking lessons. It was the intention of the company to close the week of demonstrations on Monday next, but so widespread has been the interest shown that the directors have decided to continue demonstrations until Saturday, March 16.

Rockgas is a natural gas stored in tanks which are installed outside of the building in which the gas is to be used. It is piped to ranges, heaters or lighting equipment in a similar manner to that of the ordinary gas. The principal advantages of Rockgas are that dwellings, stores, halls, etc., away from the regular gas mains can use gas at a very reasonable cost, also its intense heat, no odor, and without a possible chance of explosion. A large staff of attendants are in the showrooms at all times and the many uses of Rockgas are being readily explained to many each day.

Seek Trade for Canada

INFLUENTIAL men who are interested in promoting export trade between Canada and South America. (1) G. R. Stevens, late Canadian trade commissioner, now proceeding to Lima, Peru, to open up an office on behalf of the Canadian Government. (2) W. McL. Clarke, secretary Canadian Chamber of Commerce, Montreal. (3) J. W. Flanagan, president of the Ondian National Corporation, Limited, a subsidiary of the Imperial Oil Company, and (4) Frederic Hudd, Canadian Government trade commissioner to the United States.

SAANICH COUNCIL BUYS EQUIPMENT

Superintendent of Works Asks For $12,600 to Be Spent on New Machinery

Last night the municipal superintendent of works submitted a request to the Saanich Council for equipment to the value of $12,600. The council was advised that the time had come for scrapping some of the antiquated machinery which had become an expense to the municipality.

In the matter of the proposed purchase of two new trucks, Councillor Stubbs said he would rather see one large truck with a carrying capacity of five yards purchased, than two smaller trucks each capable of carrying two and a half yards of road surface. It was finally decided that this matter should be left over until the council meets on Monday night, in order to give the superintendent of works time to collect data on the heavier makes of trucks.

The council consented to the purchase of a two-ton tandem roller, suitable for small patching work on the roads, and also for making sidewalks. Upon further consideration the council also undertook to procure a small loading shovel, at a cost of $7,500, for ditching, trenching and loading.

With regard to the purchase of a road grader it was decided that this was also necessary, and the superintendent of works will submit to the council the type of grader which he considers most suitable at a later date.

GEORGIA RIVER MINE EXTENDS

Mr. R. G. Mellin, Well Known on Island, Is Placed in Charge of Operations

Georgia River Gold Mines Limited (N.P.L.), is extending development on the property at Georgia River in the Portland Canal district, and to this end has engaged Mr. R. O. Mellin, M.E., as manager and engineer in charge of operations at the mine. Mr. Mellin has the advantage of an extensive, practical and technical experience gained by his association with many of the large mining corporations in British Columbia and Alaska. He received his early practical training at the Tyee mine on Mount Sicker, Vancouver Island, owned by the Tyee Copper Company, which also operated the smelter at Ladysmith. During the latter years of the company's activity he acted for it as field and operating engineer. Later he was on the staff of the Granby Copper as field engineer, and with the Consolidated as field geologist.

More recently Mr. Mellin was associated with Beaton & Hemsworth, of Vancouver, in the capacity of field and consulting engineer, following which he was manager of the Riverside mine at Salmon River, Portland Canal. For the last two years he has been consulting and operating engineer for the Pacific Tidewater mines.

Mr. Mellin left on the Prince George Monday evening on his way to the Georgia River mine, where he will establish his headquarters and direct operations.

JOHN ROLAND CHANGES HANDS

The Good Time stable has sold the three-year-old pacer, John Roland, to the Springfield, Mass., horseman, F. D. Whitcomb. The colt is by The Senator-Pan Patch and has been turned over to James L. Small at the track at Goshen, N.Y.

A septuagenarian millionaire had married a show girl of eighteen summers, and Secretary Frank Fleming said at a dinner of the Dutch Treat Club in New York:

"This marriage will end unhappily. The septuagenarian bridegroom will do all he can to please his bride. He'll be as regular at night club as he was regular at prayer meeting in the old days, but—but—well, it'll be like the story.

"An aged husband was dressing for a champagne supper. He said to his girl-wife:

"'I don't know whether to wear a dinner jacket or a clawhammer to this champagne supper, Lalage. What is the correct form for a man over seventy?'

"'Chloroform,' Lalage answered."

Here is a delightful little yarn culled from a newly-published book entitled "This London":

One day a lady presented some dollar bills at my grille to exchange for English money, and as bad notes were flying about, I asked her if she could identify herself.

She said, "I can sing you a bar or two of 'Home, Sweet Home,' if you think that will help matters."

On a second glance I saw that the lady was Dame Nellie Melba, and since then she has often "chipped" me about suspecting her of being a lady "crook," and whenever she pays me a business visit she advances in a state of aggressive sprightliness with a cry of "Hands up."

Husband (in car)—Great heavens! The engine is terribly overheated.

Wife (calmly)—Then why don't you turn off the radiator?—Life.

CANADIAN WRITERS HAVE RICH FIELD

Prof. G. M. Wrong, of Toronto, Says Field *Is* Clear for Ambitious

TORONTO, March 7.—That the phenomenal rise in the price of books since the war had put good literature out of the reach of those with small income, was the statement of Professor G. M. Wrong, in his address to the Canadian Literature Club here recently. He suggested that to his mind the club would be doing an excellent thing in leading a movement to make literature cheaper for the masses.

Professor Wrong pointed out that a long history furnished material for literature, and created types in society easily recognizable, such as the characters in Punch, for example. Canada was lacking in both these, and had not developed the type of life of the English country house, which figured largely in English literature. Neither had she great monuments of the past, such as the ancient cathedrals and castles.

But, he went on, Canada was an interesting country, older than the United States, because of the unbroken traditions with both England and France. She had nature in variety, including the most magnificent rivers in the world, contact with oceans, which tends to enlarge the minds of people, and mountains. Ontario, said Professor Wrong, had a climate similar to that in parts of England, which had an influence on English literature. Central heating, thought the speaker, was destructive to the writing of poetry; it was the chilliness of English houses which led to the many beautiful poems referring to the coming of Spring.

One thing in favor of the production of literature in this country was that the field was wide open, with no great volume of literature already behind to frighten writers from further effort. The spirit of Canada, he said, would be best produced in its literature; and Canadians must avoid what Asquith once referred to as "a tranquil consciousness of effortless superiority."

In answer to his own question, "Why produce literature?" Professor Wrong pointed out that it rested the mind, elevated and broadened the intellect, and led away from the dreary intercourse of daily life.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

Safe at Last

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Danny Meadow Mouse could not see where he was going. It was dark—pitch dark—down there underground in one of the tunnels of Miner the Mole. But it really made no difference to Danny. He could run just as fast down there in the dark as he could had it been light. You see, there wasn't any danger of bumping into anything. Behind him came Miner the Mole. Miner knew that someone was in his tunnel and he was in a great rage. He couldn't see, either. But then he couldn't have seen had his tunnel been flooded with light. His eyes merely tell him the difference between light and dark. He cannot distinguish objects. He doesn't need to. He spends practically all of his time underground, where eyes really are of no use at all.

"Well, anyway," said Danny. "I'm safe now and I've found out what I wanted to know."

Danny came to where the tunnel branched. "Oh dear," thought Danny, "which way shall I go now? Shall I go to the right or shall I go to the left?"

He stopped undecided. But he couldn't stop for more than a second. In that second he used his nose and he caught just a faint whiff of Mouse scent! He knew then that that was the way he had come in. He hesitated no longer, but started along the left branch. Again he came to where the tunnel branched and this time he did not dare stop to use his nose. As luck would have it, he took the wrong turn. He realized it after a while for he knew that by this time he should have reached the surface, and here he was still running and running quite deep underground.

"Oh dear," thought Danny. "Oh dear! probably this tunnel will end suddenly and then Miner will catch me. Why did I come down here? Why couldn't I have been contented above ground? Oh dear, I wonder where this leads to?"

But there was nothing to do but to keep right on running. The passage took a sudden turn and began to go up. This was better. Danny began to be more hopeful. And then it suddenly joined another tunnel. Should he turn right or should he turn left? He turned right. That was his good fortune. You see, that really was the tunnel he had been running along in before he had turned off at the fork. That branch had simply swung around and joined the main tunnel again.

"Anyway, this tunnel is up near the surface now," thought Danny. "If I keep on I guess I'll be all right."

Danny kept on and he was all right. It was only a minute or two later that he knew just where he was and that it was only a little way to the opening under the snow, by which he had entered. When he popped out of that opening Danny drew a long breath. He had no fear of Miner the Mole up there. Miner couldn't follow him along in his own little tunnels because Danny's tunnels are smaller than Miner's. Danny darted into one of these tunnels and then waited. A moment later Miner the Mole peeped out. But once above ground Miner seemed to have lost all interest. He didn't seem to like the snow, and after a moment or two he disappeared down in his hole again.

"Well, anyway," said Danny, "I'm safe now and I've found out what I wanted to know."

"What was that?" inquired Nanny Meadow Mouse coming up just then.

"I wanted to know whether or not Miner the Mole sleeps all Winter," said Danny. "I know no what he doesn't."

"And I hope you know enough to keep out of his tunnels," spoke up Nanny.

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The next story: "Danny Has a Fight."

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City & District

Bank Clearings.—Clearings at the Victoria Clearing House for the week ending yesterday were $2,977,311, compared with $3,526,000 in the corresponding week of 1928.

To Start Today.—The select committee of the House, charged with the duty of investigating the expenditures of money in connection with the liquor law enforcement plans of the late Government, will enter upon its duties this forenoon. It is not anticipated that the sittings will extend over a long period. The members of the committee are Messrs. H. D. Twigg, J. W. Berry and Ian Mackenzie.

To Amend Highway Act.—Power is given to the Government to remove ditches, drains, telephone poles and other private properties erected along a highway by a bill to amend the Highway Act which was considered in committee of the Legislature yesterday. Such removal is dependent on complaints being received, and where the owner, when ordered to do so, fails to eliminate what is a nuisance. When the Government steps in, and does the work the cost is to be charged to the owners of the private properties.

AMERICAN BOY WILL BENEFIT

Strong Probability of Installation of Compressor Plant and Machine Drills

In the operating schedule of the North American Mining & Smelting Corporation, a unit of Associated Metals, which is being perfected this week at a conference of engineers and operating staff at Los Angeles, is a plan affecting the American Boy mine in the Sandon district of British Columbia, which is one of the Canadian properties owned by the North American Company. Mr. Newton W. Emmens, associate chief consulting engineer of the corporation, of Vancouver, has recommended an immediate appropriation to cover cost of bringing the property into production as early as possible, which involves the installation of a compressor plant and machine drills and the erection of an aerial tram.

The American Boy Mine property surrounds the Noble Five Mine on Reco Mountain, on which it will be remembered that a sensational strike of rich ore was recently made, which ore is increasing in amount as development proceeds.

The conference in Los Angeles, at the headquarters of the North American Mining & Smelting Corporation, it is believed, will precede activities on a substantial scale on properties of the corporation in British Columbia, Montana, Idaho, California, and Arizona.

MR. YUILL APPOINTED

VERNON, B.C., March 7.—A. C. R. Yuill, Vancouver, a Canadian engineer, who has been engaged on some of the great undertakings in the Dominion, has been engaged as consulting engineer for the West Canadian Hydro-Electric Power Co.

Mistress—So your matrimonial life was very unhappy. What was the trouble? December wedded to May?"

Chloe Johnson—Lan' sake, no, mam! It was Labor Day wedded to de Day of Rest.

Improvement Districts In Okanagan Valley to Be Fully Investigated

VERNON, B.C., March 7.—Advice has been received by the Vernon irrigation district of the appointment of Dr. W. H. Gaddes, of Kelowna, to make full examination and report in respect of the various improvement districts. This work will be undertaken immediately. Dr. Gaddes, with Engineer Davis, of the water rights branch, will arrive in Vernon on Monday to start the investigation.

Anti-Vivisection Society Gives Dance

The Amphion Hall was crowded to capacity last night when a benefit dance and card party were held under the auspices of the local Anti-Vivisection Society.

Mrs. Rissmuller, convener of the dance, and Mrs. W. J. Bonavia, who had charge of the card tables, are to be congratulated on the splendid success of the entertainment. Ozard's orchestra contributed the music and refreshments were served by the ladies' committee.

The winners at the bridge tables were Mrs. Bassett and Mr. Morrison. Congratulations were extended to the committee by those present for the delightful evening, and much sympathy with the anti-vivisection cause was expressed.

Announcements

Book Shower for T. B. Ward, Jubilee Hospital, Spencer's Basement, Monday, March 11, Florence Nightingale Chapter.

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Women's Activities

Women's Clubs and Societies

Camosun Chapter
The monthly meeting of Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., took place on Wednesday at headquarters with a fair attendance. In order to raise funds a home cooking sale will be held in Spencer's basement on March 18, and members will kindly take notice of this date and respond. Mrs. Miles gave an account of two grateful mothers who had been helped through child welfare, of which she is the convener. Mrs. Hartley offered her home for a talent tea, which is to be held on May 18, to which the members are to bring whatever funds they have collected for their talent. A standing vote of sympathy was passed to Mrs. F. J. Jones, who had suffered bereavement in the loss of her aunt, Miss George, and a vote of congratulation to Mrs. (Dr.) Grant on the birth of a daughter.

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St. Matthew's, Langford, W.G.
The monthly meeting of St. Matthew's Women's Guild was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. A. Hincks, the president. The financial report was very satisfactory and business resulting from the waffle tea was settled. Owing to illness, Rev. H. S. Payne was unable to be present, and his address had to be postponed with regret on the part of the guild's members.

Canadian Daughters
The Canadian Daughters' League held its monthly business meeting last evening in the Native Sons of Canada Hall. During the evening questionnaires on interesting Canadian topics were discussed. At the next meeting the subject for discussion will be "Methods of Developing a National Spirit." The assembly went on record in appreciation of the excellent services of Mrs. Helen G. MacGill while Judge of the Juvenile Court of Vancouver, and a letter was ordered to be sent to Mrs. MacGill advising her of its action.

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Garden City United W. A.
Through the courtesy of David Spencer Limited, the Woman's Association of the Garden City United Church will hold a sale of home cooking in their store on Saturday. The various articles of cookery are to be left at the home of either Mrs. Elliott or Mrs. W. A. Brown this evening.

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Shamrock Tea
The directors of the Victoria Women's Institute are entertaining the members of the society at a shamrock tea this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. In addition to afternoon tea there will be a programme of music by some of the artist members.

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Metropolitan Ladies' Aid
The Metropolitan Ladies' Aid will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock instead of 2:30, in order to enable members to attend the funeral of Mrs. Burkholder.

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Unable to Receive
Mrs. H. P. S. Luttrell, 62 Linden Avenue, regrets that owing to illness she will be unable to receive this afternoon, as announced in last Sunday's St. Andrew's Church Calendar.

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Result of Party
Mrs. A. J. Gray, treasurer of the Junior W.A. to the Jubilee Hospital, reports that the card party recently held by the auxiliary realised the sum of $106.

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Silver Tea
The First Spiritual Church will hold a silver tea today from 2 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Yousan will be in attendance.

Keating Personals

Miss Sophie Laas, of Victoria, was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Warner, Veyaness Road.

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Miss Mae Buckmaster, of Somenos, is visiting at the home of Mrs. L. Hafer, Central Saanich Road.

Lord Shaw of Dunfermline told a St. Andrews story against Mr. Baldwin at a recent dinner. Two caddies were discussing him. "He is a fine mon, that Mr. Baldwin, but he's an Englishman," said one. The other replied "I think he is sic a fine mon that if he's been a Scotsman he would have come to something."

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Figures Are Sheathed

WHOSOEVER is depending upon well-trained muscles alone to support the figure may be leaning on a screen. For the season's frocks, graciously moulded to the hips, require a perfectly rounded figure beneath. To obtain and to conserve the much-sought silhouette, fastidiously groomed women have resumed the wearing of corset, sheath or girdle, desiring to resemble neither the flower pot nor the hour glass of yesteryear.

The mighty couturier, counsellor of the elegant, originally was responsible for the corsetless vogue obsessed with the strange error in belief that the feminine form might then be presented in all its ideal graces and suppleness.

Actual experience proved the sad fallacy of the idea. And once more must the figure be moulded to acquire the elegance of purely curving line required by the smartest frocks and gowns.

New corsets, taking note of the Paris models of light weight boning, are sufficiently supple to permit the wearer to assume all attitudes with ease.

The twofold purpose of these modern foundation garments is to support the stomach without repression and to confine the hips low enough to combat their development. New materials such as rubber tricot have solved many corset problems and left makers free to create special designs as required.

Front and back sections of interlaced ribbon make one girdle sketched, having rubber sides and a restrained lacing at the left front, with reinforcements of silk to assure perfect moulding.

Designed particularly for evening wear is the second model of rubber and satin, with its decorative motifs in very geometric and modern design.

One of the most interesting of the new models, from the point of convenience and comfort, is a three-in-one garment which unites an elastic girdle, a brassiere and panties, all in combination form and adjusted with a single shoulder strap. This is particularly good for evening wear.

OPPOSITION IS RATHER RESTLESS

Appropriations for Public Works Are Alleged to Reflect Character of Political Representation

Charges made by Mr. T. D. Pattullo, Leader of the Opposition, to the effect that Liberal ridings had been discriminated against when apportioning a public works vote of $2,560,000 for maintenance of roads and bridges, was answered by Hon. William A. McKenzie, Minister of Mines, when the Legislature went into committee of supply to consider estimates last night.

"I remember when I sat in the Opposition for a number of years how impossible it was to get any outline of the work to be carried out or any details in connection with the appropriation. The then Minister of Public Works had to be forced to table an account of the appropriations, riding by riding," Mr. McKenzie declared in opening his attack upon Mr. Pattullo, who had brought down a barrage of criticism on the Government in a half-hour address.

"What do we find under the present administration. Not only is a schedule of the appropriations for maintenance, riding by riding, filed on each desk, but also a copy for each member is provided in connection with the programme of capital expenditures, district by district. I submit that such treatment was far more courteous than that which we received at the hands of the late Government," he declared.

Mr. Pattullo, in attacking the Government in connection with the appropriation, went through a list, riding by riding, to show that the Liberal ridings had been given decrease in their appropriations with the exception of one that was increased $1,000 and two that had been kept at the same figure. On the other hand, he pointed out that twenty-two Conservative ridings had received an increase, only one a slight decrease, and two had remained the same.

Mr. H. F. Kergin asked for more consideration for the North country, declaring that most of the appropriations went to districts that consisted chiefly of municipalities that were well able to maintain their own roads, receiving as they did a share of the liquor profits, pari-mutuel tax and motor licence fees.

PITT MINING CO. ORDERS EQUIPMENT

Double Crew of Men Are Working and Development Is Rapid

An announcement made by the officials of the Pitt Mining Company states that the carload of machinery recently ordered left Seattle on Monday and will be in Vancouver in a short time. The machinery will be rushed from Vancouver to the property, a distance of thirty-five miles, and will be unpacked and immediately installed. A double crew of men are working in the mine, development work being rushed ahead to enable production at an early date.

D. W. Leeke, one of the best mining engineers on the continent is in charge of the property. From present showing the mine seems to have passed the doubtful stage. Former owners have done considerable development work and since that time the company has spent about a year surveying the land for Crown grants and proving up ore bodies. Approximately 1,100 feet of underground development work has been done, mostly in ore, rendering available sufficient tonnage for immediate milling shipping purposes. The ore is "simple" ore, permitting extraction by oil flotation of all values in copper, silver and gold. There is on the property an abundance of timber for mining and construction purposes, while development of electric power at minimum cost will be looked after by the company's own hydro-electric plant on its completion. The mine is ideally located as ore can be shipped in open scows to the smelter at Tacoma. Because of this feature and the fact that all ores can be handled entirely by gravity, operating costs should be low. The company is fully financed and according to officials will be on a production basis in the very near future.

"What did mamma's little baby learn at school today?"

"I learned two kids not to call me 'mamma's little baby.'"

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Aggregate Tangible Assets of Canada Estimated at $26,691,482,000—Agriculture Is Largest Item

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OTTAWA, March 7.—The aggregate national wealth of Canada for the year 1926 was $26,691,482,000, says a report issued today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. This figure is exclusive of undeveloped natural resources.

Similar estimates placed the total wealth for 1925 at $25,673,174,000, and for 1921 at $22,195,000,000, "though these figures are not exactly comparable in view of certain improvements and additions made in the method of estimation," the report points out. The figures, however, can be taken to indicate an increase of about $500,000,000 for the twelve months under review over the previous like period and approaching an advance of $3,500,000,000 for the five-year period, 1921-26.

The largest single item in the Dominion's national wealth for 1926 was that for agriculture, which reached a total of $7,917,718,000 or 29.28 per cent of the entire amount. This figure includes the value of agricultural production for the year.

The second largest element was urban real property which reached a figure of $7,081,375,000; the tangible value of the forests was $1,868,-813,000.

As regards the provincial distribution of wealth, Ontario ranked first with an estimated aggregate wealth of $9,130,189,000, or 34.2 per cent of the total, and Quebec second with an estimated total of $6,656,108,000. The Western provinces came first in per capita wealth. British Columbia held first rank in this respect with $3,844, Alberta second, $3,608, Saskatchewan $3,559, and Manitoba $2,597. These figures may be compared with $2,902 and $2,598, the per capita wealth of Ontario and Quebec, respectively, and $2,842, the per capita for the whole Dominion.

By provinces, the estimated wealth was, Prince Edward Island, $145,-745,000; Nova Scotia, $835,748,000; New Brunswick, $723,592,000; Quebec, $6,656,108,000; Ontario, $9,130,-189,000; Manitoba, $1,889,606,000; Saskatchewan, $2,920,739,000; Alberta, $2,192,067,000; British Columbia, $2,185,210,000; Yukon, $12,478,000.

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Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Birthday Party

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. H. Morgan entertained at their home, Bignal Hill, in honor of the seventeenth birthday of their daughter, Mona. Games and dancing helped an enjoyable evening pass all too quickly. The supper table daintily decorated in mauve and yellow, was centred by a beautiful two-tiered birthday cake, which Miss Morgan cut with her father's sword. Miss Kathleen Wallace assisted the hostess in serving, and those invited were Mrs. Evans, Misses Elsie Deaville, Marjorie Roode, Elsie McDonald, Katherine Piercy, Flora and Dolly Thompson, Doris and Eveline Tink, Maggie Black, Dorothy Evans, Kathleen Wallace, Ruth Morgan, Messrs. Bill Black, Bill Deaville, Gordon Corliss, Harry Hennis, "Buster" Evans, James Mossop, Filmer, and Frank Morgan.

Children's Party

Mrs. A. J. Gray, St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay, entertained at a delightful children's party yesterday afternoon in honor of her two little nephews, Masters Robin and Billy Hughes, sons of Major and Mrs. Loughlin Hughes. Those invited included Mrs. Andrew Gray, Mrs. L. M. Hughes, Robin and Billy, Mrs. A. deM. Mellin and Doria; Mrs. K. Raymur and Beverley; Mrs. Brooke Stephenson and "Brooksie"; Mrs. Gordon Kenning, Angus and Ian, Mrs. J. A. Walker and Jean; Mrs. Torquhil Burns and Betty, and Mrs. W. C. Thackray and Billy.

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Entertaining at Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Freeman, of 633 Radcliffe Lane, Oak Bay, entertained last night with six tables of bridge. The guests were Captain and Mrs. Andrews, Captain and Mrs. P. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Peachey, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Musgrave, Mr. and Mrs. P. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cicert, Mrs. Marshall and Captain A. T. B. Layborn.

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Sessional Tea Party

Mrs. C. E. Pooley, assisted by Miss Alice Pooley and Mrs. R. H. Pooley, entertained at a delightfully arranged tea party yesterday afternoon in honor of several of the wives of the Cabinet ministers and members of the Legislature. The tea table was most attractive with a centre bowl of daffodils and colored foliage.

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Visiting Here

Miss Gertrude Blanchard, who has been visiting Miss Dorothea Sweeny in Vancouver, is now staying with her cousins, the Misses Macdowall, Wilmot Place.

Return to Winnipeg

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Olds and their daughters, of Winnipeg, have returned home after an enjoyable holiday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson, 1052 Mason Street, and Mr. and Mrs. Orlen Elliott, of Garden City.

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Leaves for Vancouver

Mrs. L. A. Genge left for Vancouver yesterday afternoon on a few days visit. While there she will attend the annual convention of the Provincial Girl Guides Association on Saturday.

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Return to Seattle

Mrs. Jack Elliott and her little daughter, Jacqueline, who have been visiting Miss Raper, Hampshire Road, have returned to Seattle.

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Bridge Hostess

Miss Grace Robertson entertained a few friends at an informal bridge party yesterday afternoon at her home on Pemberton Road.

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From Calgary

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woods and Dr. and Mrs. W. Hackney and Miss Barbara Hackney, all of Calgary, are visitors here.

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Return Home

After a holiday in California, Colonel and Mrs. A. W. Jones returned to Victoria on the Emma Alexander last night.

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At Guest House

Mr. and Mrs. Orchardson, of Vancouver, are spending a holiday at the Guest House, Oak Bay.

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Leave for Mainland

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson, who have been guests at the Guest House, Newport Avenue, have returned to New Westminster.

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Return From Cadboro Bay

Mr. E. G. Huertley has returned to the Guest House from Cadboro Bay.

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From Manitoba

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Townsend, of Winnipeg, are registered at the Guest House.

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From South

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Salisbury returned on the Emma Alexander last night from California.

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Dinner Host

Hon. R. H. Pooley entertained a number of members of the Legislature at dinner last evening.

Will Dance Tonight at Empress Hotel

GEORGINA DOWDALL

Clever little dancer and a pupil of Violet Fowkes, who will perform at the Vancouver Island Telegraphers' dance at the Empress Hotel this evening

City Temple Will Present Carnival

The ladies' organizations of the City Temple will hold their 1929 "Oriental Rose Carnival" on Thursday and Friday, March 14 and 15, in Temple Hall, North Park Street.

Following the plan adopted last year, the banquet hall will be transformed into a tea garden, with numerous fancy booths all well stocked with fancywork, plain sewing, candies, books, home cooking, and many other attractions.

For the children there will be an orange tree and a magic garden, where gifts may be purchased by a novel method. There will be five tombola prizes in connection with the carnival, one offered for each afternoon and evening, with a fifth to be given as a grand tombola prize. This last will be drawn for at the close of the carnival.

Good programmes are being arranged for the afternoon and evening of each day. Oriental numbers will be featured, with fancy dancing and other novelties.

Cup reading, palmistry, and character reading will be provided for.

WILL GIVE LECTURE ON LIFE IN CHINA

An illustrated lecture on Army work in China will be given tonight at 8 o'clock in the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, by Ensign and Mrs. Eacott, missionary officers who are returning to China. They have an interesting collection of lantern slides gathered during their seven years of service in that country.

Lieutenant-Commissioner McKensie and Colonel Barr, the territorial commanders of China and Korea, respectively, are returning from the meetings of the High Council held in London, England, and will travel with Ensign and Mrs. Eacott on the Empress of France.

Weddings

TAYLOR—WILSON

NANAIMO, March 7.—A very pretty wedding took place yesterday morning at 10:30 in the First United Church, when Miss Elizabeth Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson, South Wellington, was united in holy bands of matrimony to Mr. James Honeymoon Taylor, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taylor, of South Wellington. Following the wedding ceremony the young couple left for a two weeks' honeymoon to be spent in the Sound cities, after which they will take up their residence at South Wellington.

Golf and Webster are alike and not alike—both increase the vocabulary.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

THE SPLASHY PRINT MAKES A BID FOR FAVOR

Reports to the contrary nevertheless, the large, "aggressive" print is black with us. There are those designers who say that the day of this print is waning fast—but for the too-slender woman who wishes to take on, in appearance, a little weight, this type of print is ideal.

The background of the indestructible voile shown here is a rich brown, while the designs are in vivid yellows and orange. Circular pieces, floating gracefully, adorn entire skirt, while the waistline is unusually high. The tailored jacket is of silk crepe in the same designs.

Sidney Social News

Miss Hattie Barker left this week to spend a month with friends in Victoria.

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Mr. D. Berge is leaving this week to join his family in Alberta, after spending the Winter months as the guest of Mrs. Cremers.

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Mrs. Brethour, of Victoria, will arrive here this week to spend a month's holiday visiting relatives, and will be the guest of Mrs. Slater, Beacon Avenue.

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Miss Ruth McLura, a former resident of Sidney, has returned to her home in Victoria, after spending the week-end visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. H. McKulican, Beacon Avenue.

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Mr. Cattel, Marine Drive, left recently to make an extended visit through the United States.

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Miss Leona Simms returned to her home on Third Street on Tuesday, after spending several days visiting friends in Victoria.

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The weekly meeting of the Get-Together Bridge Club was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McAulay, East Road. Twelve hands of bridge were indulged in at five tables. The prize was awarded to Mrs. Henry O. Horth, who refused it in favor of the holder of the next highest score, Mrs. C. E. Jeffery. Consolation honors went to Mrs. J. Readings. Members accepted the kind invitation of Mrs. O. Mitchell to hold next week's meeting at her home on Centre Road.

Langford Personal

Mr. and Mrs. A. Moir have returned to "Cherrybank," their home on Langford Lake, after a visit to Vancouver.

WILKINSON ROAD SACRED RECITAL MUCH APPRECIATED

COLQUITZ, March 7.—Before a large and appreciative audience, the St. Andrew's Presbyterian double quartette gave a sacred recital in the Wilkinson Road United Church on Wednesday evening, with Miss Winnifred McDonald at the organ and Mr. Jesse A. Longfield at the piano. The following splendid programme was rendered and received hearty applause: Anthem, "O Worship the King" (Vine Hall); solo, "Hear Me When I Call" (Bruno Huhn), Mr. A. W. Trevett; solo, "Fear Ye Not, O Israel" (Dudley Buck), Mrs. W. Grant; anthem, "Pilgrims of the Night" (Nichol), solo, Miss Isobel Crawford; duet, "Watchman, What of the Night" (Sarjeant), Messrs. D. R. Park and A. W. Trevett; recitation, "Tomlinson's Soul" (Kipling), Miss Scowcroft; solo, "More Love to Thee" (Jerome), Mr. E. D. S. Durrant; anthem, "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan); solo, "A Dream of Paradise" (Gray), Mr. D. R. Park; violin, "Serenade" (Schubert), Mr. Jesse A. Longfield; duet, "Forever With the Lord" (Gounod), Miss Crawford and Mr. Trevett; anthem, "The Day Is Past and Over" (Marks), solos, Miss Crawford and Mr. Durrant.

Irvin Cobb is said to have stated recently that it was unfortunate that some of his best stories could not be printed.

Founding of Victoria to Be Celebrated

The commemoration by the Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., of the founding of Victoria, will, this year, take the form of a Gilbert and Sullivan programme at the Empress Hotel, on Thursday, March 14, commencing at 8.15 p.m., at which selections from well-known operas by Gilbert and Sullivan will be given, and a play by W. S. Gilbert, entitled "Creatures of Impulse."

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Helen Mackenzie have accepted the chapter's invitation to be present, as have also the Premier and Mrs. Tolmie and Mayor Anscomb and Mrs. Anscomb. Final arrangements regarding the programme were made at the monthly business meeting of the chapter, held on Thursday afternoon at Municipal headquarters, and a successful sale of tickets was reported by the committee; also that by the kindness of Messrs. Fletcher and Terry tickets are obtainable at their stores. A letter of sympathy with Mrs. E. C. Hayward in her recent bereavement was voted to be sent to her. In her absence, Mrs. Sharpe has undertaken the direction of the play, and Mrs. W. H. Wilson is in charge of the musical programme.

Miss Josephine Crease brought in an excellent report of the work of the Girl Guides during the past year, and was appointed the chapter's delegate to the Provincial annual meeting, to be held in Vancouver next month.

Congratulations had been expressed, on behalf of the chapter, to Mrs. Hebden Gillespie on her election as Municipal regent, and a charming letter of acknowledgement was received from Mrs. Gillespie. Mrs. R. B. McMicking reported having represented the chapter at the memorial service at the Armories on Paardeburg Day, and on their behalf having presented a beautiful wreath with verse attached. Two new members were admitted to the chapter, and there was a good attendance at the meeting.

Complete Plans for Plays and Concert

DUNCAN, March 7.—Plans for the presentation of three plays on the evening of March 22 were completed at the regular weekly meeting of the Young People's League, of the United Church. It was also decided to give a concert at the Mill Bay church in the near future. Miss Owens, the president, presided during the business session. The programme was in charge of the Christian Endeavor department, Miss Mabel Burkholder having charge. The speaker was Rev. J. H. Young, of Koksilah.

GOLF CLUB PARTY

The Macauley Point Golf Club will hold a bridge party at the Seamen's Institute on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Reservations may be made through Mrs. Silburn or Major Sisman.

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.75 Krank's Lemon Cream 51¢
1.50 Imperial Granum 99¢
.65 Vi-Tone, 1-lb. tins 44¢
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PETITION FOR BY-LAW REPEAL

CLOSING TIME OF HARDWARE STORES REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

Nanaimo City Council Considers Forming Licence Commission—Would Control Orientals

NANAIMO, March 8.—The City Council last evening received a petition signed by some sixteen merchants, asking for the repeal of By-law No 416, which necessitates the closing of hardware stores on ordinary weekdays at 5 o'clock. Alderman Hart asked, upon the conclusion of the reading of the petition, if any of those signing were bona fide hardware stores. He asked if they were legally qualified to sign the petition. Alderman Ironside thought the question a lengthy one, and suggested that it be taken up in committee, and gone into thoroughly. His suggestion was adopted.

The Department of National Defence wrote outling the programme of H.M.S. Colombo, which is to visit British Columbia ports during the coming Summer.

Mr. J. W. Spruston, secretary of the Nanaimo Silver Cornet Band, wrote asking the Council to authorize the playing of six concerts during the Summer months, at a cost to the city of $75 each. The letter was referred to the finance committee for consideration.

L. B. Housten, secretary of the Nanaimo Poultry Association, asked permission for a delegation from the association to meet the members of the Council on March 18, to lay before them a request for financial assistance in connection with their coming exhibition here. Permission for the meeting was granted.

The public works manager, Mr. Shepherd, reported an expenditure during the past week on streets of $337.75 and on waterworks for the same period $92.76.

Fire Chief Parkin reported five fire alarms answered during the month of February, with a total damage of $60.

Alderman Renney introduced the question of forming a licence commission here. He said that it had been brought to his attention that outside contractors were coming to the city and paying whatever wages suited them for unskilled labor. He thought if a licence commission existed here the question of regulating of wages could be dealt with.

Mayor Busby disagreed. He said the commission would have no power whatever to regulate wages. It would be out of their province.

Alderman Renney said the commission could at least investigate any person applying for a licence and could refuse it if they wished.

Alderman Barsby thought there was no schedule of wages for contractors to pay. There were no unions here, outside a local of the carpenters' union, and he believed that only about half of the local carpenters belonged to that. The usual rate of pay, he thought, was fifty cents per hour for unskilled labor.

Alderman Ironside seconded Alderman Renney's motion to take steps to form a licence commission. He thought a commission was given wide powers and could reject an application from persons who would not be desirable. At present anyone having the money could apply for a licence and get it.

Alderman Renney further explained that it would allow them to deal with the Oriental question. "And to be plain," he continued, "that is what we want. There would be a representative of the Government on the commission, and it would, of course, have to be fair in its dealings, but it would give some control of Oriental licencing. The motion carried.

(It is reported that the fashionable color for men's clothes this Spring will be grey).

For years I've had a perfect passion
To be quite smart and in the fashion.
But dressing well costs heaps of cash,
And I never have cut a dash.
When brown's been, "in," my suit's been blue,
Or of entirely different hue
From that which Fashion placed supreme,
But now it's coming true—my dream—
For grey will be the very thing
To wear, we're told, this coming Spring.
I greet the news with loud "Hooray!"
My only suit is old—but grey!

This Life!

By J. H. STRIEBEL

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WESTERN SCOTS REUNION WILL BE HELD AT NANAIMO

The annual reunion dinner of the 67th Battalion Western Scots will be held this year in the Canadian Legion Hall, Nanaimo, on March 23, at 8 p.m.

This will be the first time that the dinner has been held in Nanaimo and the Up-Island members of the battalion are making great preparations for the event.

It is hoped there will be a good number from Victoria and district to make the trip to Nanaimo, and meet old comrades. Those intending to attend should get in touch with Major S. H. Okell at the Red Cross Workshop.

At The Playhouses

COLUMBIA THEATRE Among the new eligibles for stardom is Charles Byer, who plays the part of Sergeant Brian Scott, of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police in F B O's vividly colored and truthful portrayal of the hazards of the Canadian police which is playing under the title of "Red Riders of Canada" at the Columbia Theatre. Byer has long sought an opportunity to play leading roles, but has always been thwarted in this desire because he was an excellent "villain type."

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE The stage and screen receive strange converts. One of the most recent and perhaps the most unusual recruits is Rex Lease, who is appearing in a featured role of "Stolen Love," an F B O. production now showing at the Playhouse Theatre. Lease, a Virginian, was carefully reared and duly educated for a position behind the pulpit, but the lure of the kliegs was too strong. Hence Ohio Wesleyan lost a good Methodist minister student, but the sanctum's loss was the screen's gain, for, after three years before the cameras, Rex has risen to an enviable position among the younger leading men.

COLISEUM THEATRE From the role of oysterman to that of motion picture player is a long leap, but that is what happened recently to eighteen seamen of St. Michaels, Maryland. Overnight the little town located on the Miles River, off Chesapeake Bay, was transformed into a motion picture studio with the arrival of an entire company from Hollywood there to produce "The First Kiss." The screen play co-stars Fay Wray and Gary Cooper and now showing at the Coliseum Theatre. The men joined a supporting cast which includes Lane Chandler, Leslie Fenton, Paul Fix, Malcolm Williams and George Nash.

CAPITOL THEATRE According to some scholastic coiner of epigrams, "a drop of ink makes millions think," but to this journalist, when considering Johnny Hines' latest First National picture, "The Wright Idea," which is playing at the Capitol Theatre this week, "a drop of ink makes millions laugh." For such is the case when Johnny is behind the ink bottle. The stage specialties are Darby and Vail, two men in a novelty acrobatic presentation, Marie Roderick, a charming and talented soprano soloist, and the Le Sova Duo, in a superb dance revue, along with the Capitol Stage Band and Jack Reed, the singing master of ceremonies.

DOMINION THEATRE Thrilling adventure and exotic romance feature the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer sound production, "White Shadows in the South Seas," which opened yesterday at the Dominion Theatre. The plot is built on the regeneration of a white man, who, after having sunk to the level of a beachcomber, pulls himself together to avenge a wronged child, and as a result of his chivalry is lured on board a plague ship, lashed to the mast and set adrift. The ship wrecks on the reef of a tropical paradise, which starts a series of thrilling and romantic adventures.

A movie director was discussing with a woman the difficulty of filling a particular part in a forthcoming play.

"I want," he said, "a young man who looks like Lindbergh, is tall, blue-eyed and has sex appeal, a sense of humor and an air of distinction."

"So do I," she sighed.

AMUSEMENTS

Capitol—"The Wright Idea," starring Johnny Hines.

Coliseum—Fay Wray and Gary Cooper in "The First Kiss."

Columbia—"Red Riders of Canada," featuring Patsy Ruth Miller.

Dominion—"White Shadows in the South Sea."

Playhouse—Betty Blythe in "Stolen Love."

CLEVER FARCE AT CRYSTAL GARDEN

"The Duchess of Bayswater" to Be Presented by Popular Co-Optimists This Evening

A scintillating farce-comedy in two acts, "The Duchess of Bayswater," will be produced by the popular Co-optimist Comedy Company at the Crystal Garden tonight. This clever play took London by storm when first produced at the Haymarket Theatre by Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree. It is the work of that gifted playwright, A. M. Heathcott, and sparkles brightly with wit and humor. The "Duchess of Bayswater" deals with the surrender of impoverished aristocracy to commercialism and presents a most amusing picture of the breaking down of ancient class prejudices.

In the play Mr. Caryl Stubbs, who is most attractively wealthy but of unfortunately low commercial origin, finds that his suit for the hand of Kathleen is regarded with extreme disfavor by her father, Sir Jeremy Cudmore. Sir Jeremy is an aristocrat of the old school, whose rigid adherence to the traditions of nobility frowns heavily upon anything that savors of commercialism.

But the Duke of Bayswater and his sister, the Duchess of Bayswater, under the stress of financial necessity, have embraced commercialism with whole-hearted enthusiasm. The Duke has entered upon an industrial career with indefatigable energy. The inventions he is promoting lead into the fields of steam, electricity and hydraulic power, and his ventures include selling schemes ranging from sanitary clothing to bottled drinks and trousseaux.

It is this spectacle of the complete capitulation of a Duke and Duchess to trade that leads to the ultimate collapse of the class prejudice of Sir Jeremy and to a happy culmination to the romance of the commercial Mr. Stubbs and Kathleen.

The play abounds in clever situations and will undoubtedly prove extremely popular with the wide local following of the talented Co-optimists.

A strong cast has been chosen as follows: Sir Jeremy Cudmore, Mr. A. Legge-Willis; Kathleen (his daughter), Miss Betty Jennings; the Duchess of Bayswater, Mrs. Legge-Willis; the Duke of Bayswater (her brother-in-law), Mr. W. Tayler; Mr. Caryl Stubbs (of commercial origin), Major F. F. Howden; Jenkins (Sir Jeremy's valet), Mr. A. Long.

"Can we play at keeping store in here, mamma?"

"Yes, but I have a headache, so if you do you must be very, very quiet."

"Oh, all right, mamma. We'll pretend we don't advertise."

Grain Commissioner May Visit Europe

HON. J. T. BROWN

Chairman of the Royal Grain Commission, who, with the other members of the commission, may visit British and European markets in the near future.

SALE OF POWER PLANT PLANNED

FURTHER DATA IS DESIRED IN CONNECTION WITH PRINCE RUPERT TRANSACTION

Legislative Committee Believes Sufficient Sum Should Be Reserved for Debentures

The bill to ratify the sale of the Prince Rupert electric power plant to Nesbitt & Thompson was held over by the private bills committee of the Legislature yesterday, until information regarding the debentures still outstanding had been obtained by Mr. Robert Baird, inspector of municipalities.

It was discovered by the committee when considering the bill yesterday that no provision had been made in connection with the money received from the sale of the plant.

It was felt by the committee that sufficient money should be taken from the proceeds of the sale to write off the outstanding debentures of the power plant for which the assets of the city were held as security.

The amount of the outstanding debentures is $218,000. A sufficient sum should be placed in the sinking fund to take care of the interest and principal upon these debentures, the committee felt.

It was further discovered that the city had borrowed up to twenty-five per cent of its assessment, which amounted to $2,199,000.

Col. Nelson Spencer stated that it was only right that the debenture holders should be protected. By placing part of the proceeds in the sinking fund to retire the debentures the city would be decreasing its debt and at the same time increasing its borrowing power.

Mr. Baird informed the committee that the city's sinking fund was in excellent shape, there being a surplus.

Mr. H. S. Robertson, representing Prince Rupert, and Mr. Baird, inspector of municipalities, will collaborate over the bill and draft a wire to be sent to Prince Rupert to ascertain for the committee what the city intends to do with the proceeds from the sale of the plant. Other information will also be secured relating to the debentures, the term they have run and the amount in the sinking fund for this particular purpose.

The Crooks' Game

By GEORGE DILNOT

CHAPTER IX (Continued)

She went a shade paler. "I only did what I was made to do. You can't make me responsible for anything."

"Nothing would please me more than to find that you could explain. We're not entitled to ask you questions—understand that. But, if you have anything to say that will put a different complexion on the part you have played, we are here to listen."

She looked from one to the other. They were watching her closely, and they observed her lips twitch as if she was about to say something. But she checked herself, and, when at last she did answer, they gained nothing. "What is there to explain?" she asked with a hopeless gesture. "Get hold of Sheldon Nares and ask him."

Strickland thrust his hands in his trousers pockets and stood over her. "It's a pity," he mused, "that we can do nothing to help you. I've got my own ideas on the way you were pulled into the job. If Jacky hadn't said"—his face betrayed consternation, and he corrected himself quickly—"if we hadn't learnt that you were Jane Green, or Lola La Fontaine, and that the Cat had played the dirty on you—"

Again he pulled himself up as if with a realization that his tongue was running away from him. In fact he had used up his stock of facts—enough he felt to convince her that she had been in some way betrayed. Lola had cunning, but she had not the quickness of wit to perceive that he was playing on her fears and passions. There may be honor and loyalty among thieves, but it is so rare that an experienced assumes that it does not exist. Few rogues will lie to save their confederates, although they may do so for the sake of their own skins. When a gang of rascals is under arrest, sooner or later they will become suspicious of one another.

Lola was startled and alarmed. Her hands knitted themselves together and her face was strained. "Jacky has been talking—the dirty squealer!" she declared.

"No, no, Jacky hasn't given you away," insisted Strickland quickly. "We got our information from another quarter."

The denial, as he had intended that it should, only confirmed her surmise. "You can't kid me!" she cried, and worked herself into a passion. Words of gutter invective surged from her lips. She rose and shook a clenched fist in the direction which she imagined his cell was located. "Thought that he'd save his neck by getting in first. I'll teach him something." She gripped the inspector's arm with a strength that made him wince. "I don't care what they do to me. I'll see that devil swing."

"We'll have to write down anything you say, Lola, and it may be used as evidence."

"What do I care?" she raved. "Take it all down! Go on! Get some paper and a pen. I'll see that swine gets what's coming to him. I'll bet he's told some fancy lies."

Menzies rang the bell which communicated with the station officer. In a few moments a detective-sergeant, carrying a chair, a small table, and paper, and armed with a stout fountain pen, was with them. As a matter of fact—though Lola could not have suspected this—he had been waiting in readiness for just such a summons. At a word from Strickland the police-station matron was invited to be present. There could not be too many witnesses.

In a rapid, high-pitched voice with parentheses, and garnished with violent epithets, she began to tell her story. Now and again she was interrupted by a quiet question from one of the detectives to elucidate a point, for there was at times a lack of sequence and coherence in her narrative.

She had been many things, had Jane Green, since, when fourteen years old, she had left the little Hampshire village where she was born to become maid-of-all-work in a cheap London boarding-house. Two years of this drudgery and she had found a Cockney companion of her own sex, and a little older than herself, who introduced her in the ways of the town. Jane was not long in coming to the conclusion that her destiny lay in another direction than washing dishes. On the advice of her friend she had helped herself to such finery as she fancied from the wardrobes of the female boarders, and Jane Green disappeared while Lola La Fontaine took her place as a recruit among the gay and careless ladies of the town.

This was commonplace enough to Menzies and Strickland. They knew plenty of the same type. Lola had rapidly learnt her way about. Before she was twenty she was the cynical, unmoral, illiterate woman of the town. She had the superficialities and the cunning of her class. If no male dupe was at hand there was always the pose of the innocent country maiden who had lost her purse. She had tried her hand at shoplifting, but did not care for that. From her point of view, it was better to gain a situation as a servant in a middle-class family, and step out with such trifles as might be to her hand after a day or so. Somehow she had managed to keep out of the hands of the police for any serious offence, for usually those who suffered from her pilferings were indisposed to the trouble of prosecution. But in one way and another she had increased her circle of acquaintances in the underworld.

Thus she might have remained such a petty, unpleasant woman crook as hundreds of others, had she not met the Cat. For, strangely enough, she had fallen in love with that highly varnished and unscrupulous rogue. Stranger still, she had afforded him a passing infatuation, and she declared, with a vehemence that only a woman of her profession would have assumed, that they had been married.

But the Cat found her a nuisance and an encumbrance. Strickland guessed, though he did not say so, that she had been insatiable in her demands upon him. No doubt, for a time he had found her useful. He had used her for the acquisition of information, and as a lure for the men he was disposed to bleed. No doubt she had stooped to great depths to aid him in his nefarious purposes. They had quarreled after three months, made it up, and again quarreled.

She had been repulsed again and again in her attempts to bring him once more to her side. Once in an access of jealousy she had attacked a lady who was enjoying his favors in a Soho restaurant, and the Cat had left her senseless on the floor for her pains. After that her passion waned, and had been succeeded by an implacable hate of whieo she made no secret to her friends. Nor were things made any easier for her by the knowledge that she was getting older. She had been on the edge of starvation more than once.

In a mood of bitterness she had been found less than a week ago by Jacky the Dude. He had stood her a dinner at which the wine flowed freely, and questioned her much about the Cat.

"He told me," she said, "that the Cat was putting the double-cross on some friends of his, and that they wanted to teach him a lesson. I could be useful to them, he said, in carrying out a stunt they had on hand. There was to be big money in it for me, and I could get my own back on the Cat. I said they could count me in. Jacky and I got in a taxi and went over to Hammersmith to see Sheldon Nares and some other men. I had never met any of them before.

"Nares explained that all they wanted was to get the Cat out of the way. I was to get hold of him in some way for them. So I wrote the Cat a letter—"

"The one in which you asked him for a fiver?" put in Strickland.

"Yes. Don't know how you come to know about it, but it doesn't matter. I didn't expect to get anything from him—it was just a blind so that he shouldn't be suspicious when I turned up again. Partly that was Nares' idea. He gave me ten pounds to go on with, and I was to stay at Hammersmith till things were put through. Well, a night or two later I got hold of the Cat. He wouldn't have anything to do with me at first, but I kidded him that I had a friend, a parlor-maid who could give him some information that was worth his while. So I got him to walk with me as far as Park Lane, and wait in one of the side turnings while I went to fetch her. Nares had it all mapped out, and he was close at hand with another man in a big car. I gave him the office and then went back to the Cat and held him in conversation while the car crept up behind. Nares and the other fellow jumped out, pulled a scarf over the Cat's head, and bundled him into the car and drove away. That's all I know about that."

"What did you do next?" asked Menzies, as she paused.

"Me? Oh, I went back to Hammersmith, and went to sleep. Wasn't any of my business what they wanted to do to the Cat, you see. Nares woke me up in the early hours. Said I had to keep an eye on a man they had brought in, a fellow they called Suck Shang. I had nothing to do with that affair beyond sitting tight and listening. 'Course I drew my own conclusions."

Menzies caught Strickland's eye, and gave an almost imperceptible shake of the head. "You didn't know that these people had committed murder?" he asked. "Wasn't anything said?"

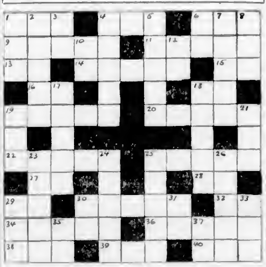
Her eyes avoided his. "If there was, I didn't hear it. If I'd known they were mixed up in a hanging business, do you think that I would have had a hand in it?"

Neither Menzies nor Strickland were impressed by her protestations. "Your story sounds thin, Lola," commented Strickland. "Are you sure that you haven't forgotten anything?"

The woman lifted her shoulders sulkily. "That's the story that I'm going to stick to," she declared in a sullen voice.

(To be Continued)

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Rest.
4 An enthusiast.
6 Devoured.
9 Odor.
11 Further from the centre.
13 Post office (ab.).
14 Enthusiasm.
15 Indefinite article.
16 Negative.
18 Junior (ab.).
19 Persian emperor.
20 Rub out.
22 Fruit (pl.).
25 Dungeons.
27 Printed notice.
28 Compass point.
29 That one.
30 Woman's title.
32 Gold (ab.).
34 Fortification.
36 Long teeth.
38 Finish.
39 Observe.
40 Suffix denoting quality.

DOWN

1 Undermine.
2 Sarcasm.
3 Toward.
4 Passengers.
5 Loop.
6 Occupied with.
7 Rips.
8 Sea eagle.
10 Meter.
12 Chaldean city.
17 Mountain nymph.
18 Prisons.
19 Head gear.
21 Prussian watering place.
23 Devoured.
24 Bridges.
25 Packing box.
26 Trickles.
28 Wrath.
30 Collegiate degree (ab.).
31 Greek letter.
33 Employ.
35 Theological degree (ab.).
37 Thus.

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CRAFTS SHOW IS CONTEMPLATED

Victoria Handicraft Is Sought to Be Displayed at Forthcoming Exhibition

A communication from the organising secretary of the Canadian Handicrafts Guild of British Columbia (Mrs. Blanche C. Holt Murison) has been received by the Island Arts and Crafts Society, asking local craft workers to send to Vancouver a representative collection of crafts to the National Council of Education conference in congress there from April 8 to 13.

A representative committee has been appointed to take charge of the exhibits in Vancouver, and it is hoped that local craft workers in clay, wood, metal, leather, cloth, etc., will arrange for a selection of their best work to be included with the other exhibits coming from Britain, Europe and Canada.

The exhibition will be assembled in one of the large rooms of the Hotel Georgia and will open to the public free from April 8 to 13. The Arts and Crafts Society will take charge of the local section, and will also pay the freight charges of the local exhibition. Miss Katherine Lothian and Mrs. Margaret Grute, with the secretary, Mr. J. S. McMillan, are now busy arranging for the display. Further information can be obtained by telephoning 1470.

SINGLE BALLOT IDEA

Suggestion, While Avoiding Cumbersomeness of That System, Will Aid Elections

A bill to amend the Municipal Elections Act so as to permit the use of what practically amounts to the single ballot system at civic election, was introduced at the yesterday afternoon's session of the Legislature by Hon. R. H. Pooley, Attorney-General.

The chief amendment to the act provided in the bill deals with the balloting system. If the bill is passed it will be possible for a municipality to use the new balloting system designed by Mr. M. F. Hunter, city clerk of Victoria.

This ballot has all the earmarks of a single ballot without being cumbersome, as the latter is. It is in book form and contains ballots for mayor, aldermen, police commissioners and school trustees. The new ballot does away with the need of four polling booths when a citizen goes to the poll to cast his vote. It blocks up several loop holes under the old system, whereby votes might be sold.

Further, it reduces the cost of a civic election by 20 per cent, speeds up the election and the counting of the ballots afterward. Under the system that will be permissible, if the bill is passed, a progressive count on all candidates at one time will be possible, while the final count on all candidates will be able to be announced at one time. In counting alone the time will be reduced by some two hours over the old system.

Another amendment provides the returning officer with the right to have a casting vote in the event of a tie even though he may have exercised his franchise as a private citizen.

Westminster Glee Singers Here in May

The world-famed Westminster Glee Singers, whose Canadian tour this year has been one of the much-looked-forward-to events of the musical season, have been secured by the management of the Royal Victoria Theatre to appear for three days only, May 2, 3 and 4. The company comprises seven outstanding boy sopranos and nine men soloists from Westminster Abbey, St. Paul's Cathedral, Sheffield Cathedral and the Chapel Royal. The singers are appearing in the Dominion under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, and in British Columbia under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor. Reservations can now be made with the theatre manager for this special attraction.

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SENATE BROADCAST TONIGHT OVER NBC

Senator Frederick M Sackett, of Kentucky, a Republican, and Senator Millard E. Tydings, of Maryland, a Democrat, will be the speakers during the coast-to-coast broadcast of "A Half Hour With the Senate," through the N.B.C. system stations tonight, beginning at 7:30 p.m., Pacific Standard Time.

"Relations of the United States to Its Territorial Possessions" will be discussed by both speakers in their talks. The programme today is the third in the series recently inaugurated by the N.B.C. to enable political leaders at Washington to present both sides of important matters pertaining to the United States Government.

"Well, Mose, I can give you this divorce, but it will cost you $3."
"Three dollars, boss?"
"That's the fee."
"Well, boss, I jes' tell ya, I don't b'lieve I wants no divorce. There ain't $3 difference 'tween dem two wimmen."

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DRAGON DANCE IS SUGGESTED

CHINESE WILL BE ASKED TO HELP IN MAY 24 CELEBRATION

Advertising of Resources of Province Through Automobile Licence Plates

Possibilities of a Greater Victoria entertainment organization were discussed yesterday at the luncheon meeting of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, held in the Chamber cafe. It was pointed out by Mr. Walter Miles, president of the Junior Chamber, that the C.P.R. had decided that it was high time to put Victoria on the map, and a representative of the company who had lately been studying conditions in and around Victoria had criticized the city from the point of view of its lack of entertainment for tourists. A motion was finally carried that a committee of five be appointed from the Junior Chamber to co-operate with the Kiwanis Club in fostering a scheme for a greater Victoria, with a view to securing a greater unity in the entertainment of visitors to the city.

AUTOMOBILE PLATES

The scheme for the issuing of more attractive licence plates was discussed. The intention is that these plates shall be formed to advertise the main feature of the province, and to compare with the Idaho plate, which represents a potato, or that of Kansas which represents an ear of corn. A letter was read from the Attorney-General asking the chamber to submit a suitable design forthwith, and the meeting passed a resolution that the Government be asked to consider a plate which would be cut in the form of a log indicative of the timber of the province.

DRAGON DANCE

The president informed the meeting that the City Council had again granted to the Junior Chamber the privilege of staging the pageant of May 24. In connection with this matter it had been pointed out that a long time had elapsed since there was any participation in the parade by the Chinese element in Victoria. Mr Miles asked the members to endeavor to get in touch with the various Chinese organizations in the city with a view to the inclusion in the parade of some such characteristic feature as the famous "dragon dance."

Mr. George Beck, chairman of the clean-up week committee, reported that the garbage department was not yet through with their Winter schedule, and had asked the Junior Chamber to wait until the third week in April. The committee also intended to ask the co-operation of the City Council in clearing up vacant lots along the routes taken by tallyhos and sightseeing cars, Mr Beck stated.

At the close of the luncheon Mr Fred Pitt and Mr. Don Cameron entertained the meeting with a clever performance upon accordians.

Radio Programmes

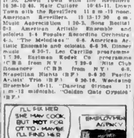
By Courtesy of Radio Doings

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (477.5m)—8 a.m., The morning market quotations. 3.30 p.m., Auntie Babs entertains the children. 6, The closing market prices. 6.30, The Sunset Concert Orchestra takes pleasure in presenting the following programme: Overture, "Orpheus" (Offenbach); "Tanzweise" (Meyerhelmund); "Spanish Dance" (Moskowski); "Sweet Summer Rose" (Armand); "Bolero" (Moskowski); "Doll's Dance" (Ellenberg); a selection from "Princess Pat" (Herbert); "The Anvil Chorus," from "Il Trovatore" (Verdi); "Nazareth" (Gounod); "Sweet Jasmine" (Bendix). 7.30, "What's Doing in Town," official weather report, "Bond Talk," West Coast Information Service, the correct time. 7.30, The Empress Hotel Orchestra. 8, Studio presentation, arranged by the Victoria School of Expression. 11.30, A special hour's programme will be broadcast from the ballroom of the Empress Hotel.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—10.30-11.30 a.m., Woman's Magazine of the Air. [illegible]

KJR, Seattle, Wash. [illegible]



KOMO, Seattle, Wash. [illegible]

KOA, Denver, Colorado [illegible]

Wrigley Review 6.30-7, Philco Hour 7-7.30, N.B.C. 7.30-8, The Solitaire Cowboys 8-8.30, N.B.C. 8.30-8.45, Answers on financial questions 8.30-9, Dance Orchestra 9-9.30, The Music Album 9.30-10, String Trio 10-11, The Trocaderans.

KPRC, San Francisco, Cal. (491.5m; 610k)—4-4.30 p.m., Garden talk 4.30-4.35, Something About Everything 4.40-4.50, Mac and his Gang 4.50-5, Town Tooters 5-5.30, Myrtool Smiling Tooth Army 5.30-6, Emporium Children's Hour 6-6.30, Jo Mendel's Pep Band 6.30-7, Pat Frayne, sports 7-7.30, San Francisco Bay Toll Bridge programme 7.30-8, Anne Christine and Johnson Washer programme 8-8.30, Gilelan Cafeteria programme 8.30-9, Tales from Antique Shop 9-10, Sherman Clay & Co programme 10-10.10, Amos 'n' Andy 10.10-11.10, Hotel Mark Hopkins Orchestra 11.10 p.m.-12.10 a.m., Roof Garden Orchestra.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (483.6m; 620k)—[illegible] Studio programme [illegible] Land-O-Health [illegible] Fishing bulletin [illegible] Concert Trio [illegible] Wrigley Spearmen [illegible] Philco Hour [illegible] Hudson Motor programme [illegible] Marshall Melody Boys [illegible] R.C.A. hour [illegible] Mono Motor Oil Co programme [illegible] Studio concert [illegible] midnight, Hoot Owls' frolic.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (440.9m; 680k)—[illegible] House of Dreams [illegible] Stock report [illegible] Rasberine programme [illegible] Stock market quotations [illegible] Children's Hour by Big Brother [illegible] Wrigley programme [illegible] Maurice Gunsky, ballad singer [illegible] R.C.A. Hour [illegible] Studio programme [illegible] Dance Band [illegible] midnight, Trocaderans.

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. (285.5m; 1,050k)—[illegible] Courtesy programme [illegible] Federation of Women's Clubs [illegible] Dr. Wesley M. Barrett [illegible] "Own Your Own Home" [illegible] Amusement tips [illegible] Organ programme [illegible] KNX String Quintette [illegible] Feature programme [illegible] Royal Order of Optimistic Do-Nuts [illegible] Lion Tamer programme [illegible] Broadcasting the main event from the Hollywood Legion Stadium [illegible]

KGO, Oakland, Cal. [illegible]

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. [illegible] programme 7, Hudson Motors programme 7.30, Studio programme 8, NCA Hour 9, Concert Orchestra 10, Dance music programme.

KOL, Seattle, Wash. (236.1m; 1,270k)—5-6 p.m., Service Hour 6-6.30, Music, newscasting 6.30-6.40, Pacific Trade programme 6.40-7, "This and That" 7-7.30, Ken Stuart's half hour 7.30-8, Old-timers' hour 8-8.30, Studio programme 8.30-8.35, Talk 8.35-9, Studio programme 9-9.15, Amos 'n' Andy 9.15-10.15, Hotel Butler Indians 10.10-10.30, Studio programme 10.30-11, Request hour 11 p.m.-1 a.m., Everstate Band.

CFCT Children's Hour

From 5.30 to 6 o'clock this evening the weekly half hour for the kiddies will take place over CFCT, Victoria's radio station, when Auntie Babs, known as "The Story Lady of CFCT," will be heard over the radio.

At 6:30 o'clock the Sunset Concert Orchestra will delight the many friends of CFCT with an hour of classical orchestral music. Radio fans will enjoy the opening number, an overture by Offenbach entitled "Orpheus." Two numbers by Moskowski will be played tonight, a Spanish dance and a Bolero. The nightly hour with the Sunset Broadcasters also include a selection from Victor Herbert's composition "Princess Pat," and the "Anvil Chorus" from Verdi's opera, "Il Trovatore." "Sweet Jasmine," by Bendix, will close the hour.

During the usual half hour between 7.30 and 8 o'clock this evening the Empress Hotel Orchestra will be heard in a programme of dance music, while after 8 o'clock the new studio of CFCT will be the source of the Friday evening presentation. The Victoria School of Expression has arranged the studio offering tonight.

The last broadcast by Victoria's radio station is a little contrary to custom. It will commence half an hour later than usual, at 11.30 p.m., and the place of origin this evening will be the ballroom of the Empress Hotel, from where the hotel orchestra will be heard for at least half an hour after midnight.

A.B.C. Network

George Frame Brown, originator of many radio programmes, will be the feature of the programme that the Kodak Hour will present tonight, at 7 o'clock Pacific Standard Time, in the second of their new series of broadcasts over a nationwide hookup of stations. Stations of the ABC network release these broadcasts in the West.

George Frame Brown is known to all radio fans as the original Luke Higgins in "Main Street," and the present Matt Tompkins in "Real Folks," the continuity for which act he writes himself. He has written many comedy sketches, and it is in a one-character skit of his own that he will be featured tonight.

In addition, Nat Shilkret and his famous orchestra will contribute a group of popular musical numbers, and other special features will help to make this one of the outstanding hours of the air.

A romantic young man of Rangoon,
With a lute by the light of the moon,
Sang, "I'll die for you, love,"
When a voice from above
Said, "You will if you don't shut up soon."

Guarantee Will Protect Boosting Of Milk Prices

The passing of the bill to make it necessary that the various milk producers in the areas around Vancouver, which may be covered by the act, will bear their pro rata share of taking care of the surplus milk supply over that of the fluid milk supply, now will pass the Legislature. The bill is being prepared and may reach the House today.

In view of the likelihood of the bill being passed, Mr William Dick, member for Vancouver, which is the city most vitally interested in the operations in view of the fact that the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association is very vitally interested, secured an assurance yesterday from the organization that for the next five years there would be no advance in the price of milk to retailers in Vancouver.

The letter setting this out, which was given to Mr. Dick over the signature of Mr. W. L. Macken, director of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association, reads as follows:

"Conditional upon the coming into effect and during the operation of the proposed act, Dairy Products Sale Adjustment Act, and barring some general economic upheaval, we guarantee that the present retail price structure of milk and cream, shall not be altered upwards by us, but may be less, for a period of five years from the inauguration of the proposed legislation."

They were doing musketry drill on the barrack square. The sergeant approached a young recruit, and bawled "I told yer ter take a fine sight. Don't yer know what a fine sight is by now?"

"Yes," said the exasperated recruit. "I reckon I do. It's a very big liner, crammed full of sergeants, unequipped with wireless and sinking rapidly in mid-ocean."

Prince of Wales Authorized to Create Knights

LONDON, March 7.—The King, by royal warrant, has authorized the issue of letters patent empowering the Prince of Wales to confer the honor of knighthood at the royal investiture ceremonies at St. James Palace on March 26.

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Maple Leafs Fail to Cinch Position in National Hockey League Play-Offs

Toronto Squad Held To One-All Score by Chicago Black Hawks

Pettinger Nets Rubber for Leafs and Ripley for Chicago—Canadiens Down Senators 3-0 and Increase Lead

FORT ERIE, Ont., March 7.—Chicago Black Hawks held the Toronto Maple Leafs to a one-goal draw in an overtime N.H.L. game here tonight. The homeless ones, making their fourth appearance in the Fort Erie arena, just over the Niagara River from Buffalo, registered in the third period. In their theree previous games here they were unable to score.

Summary

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Toronto, Pettinger, 6 00.

Third period—2, Chicago, Ripley, 3 00.

Overtime period—No score.

CANADIENS WIN

MONTREAL, March 7.—Canadiens added to their lead at the top of the Canadian section by scoring a 3-0 victory over the Ottawa Senators. The Senators fought hard all the way, but were unequal to the task of stopping the fast traveling Canucks, who looked better practically throughout. It was the twenty-first shutout of the season for George Hainsworth, the Canadien goalie.

The Line-Ups

Canadiens		Ottawa
Hainsworth	Goal	Connell
S. Mantha	Defence	Clancy
Burke	Defence	A. Smith
Lapine	Centre	Nighbor
Gagne	Wing	Finnegan
Joliat	Wing	Kilrea
Leduc	Sub.	Shield
Morenz	Sub.	Grosvenor
Mondu	Sub.	Godin
Patterson	Sub.	Lamb
G. Mantha	Sub	Touhey
Gardner	Sub	Elliott

Summary

First period—1, Canadiens, S. Mantha, 17·45

Second period—2, Canadiens, S. Mantha, 13 52.

Third period—3, Canadiens, Morenz, 18 40.

CUP TIES WILL HOLD INTEREST

Junior and Juvenile Soccer Teams Will Meet in Finals Tomorrow at Royal Athletic Park

WESTHOLMES TO BATTLE FIVE C'S

For the first time this season the junior and juvenile soccer players are going to hold sway at the Royal Athletic Park. And they are going to do it by staging a twin bill in the form of two cup-tie matches.

Maple Leafs and the Five C's juveniles, of Division Two, will play in the curtain raiser of the matinee performance when they clash at 2 o'clock in the local final of the Province Cup series. The C's are rated as one of the cleverest teams in the city, and the way they play the game speaks well for the future of football in the city. Their opponents, the Maple Leafs, also know something about the round ball game, and should put up an interesting struggle.

The second act will see James Island and Y.M.C.A. juniors elevens meeting in the final of the Lower Island Football Association Cup series. This promises to be a great struggle. Armstrong will handle the first game and Woodley the second.

Junior and juvenile league fixtures scheduled for tomorrow are as follows:

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Bapcos vs. Oaklands, at Central Park; referee, Robb.

Royal Oak vs. Victoria City, at Beacon Hill, upper ground; referee, Brigden.

Esquimalt vs. Victoria West (Juveniles), at Victoria West.

Kick-offs at 3 o'clock.

JUVENILE LEAGUE

S.O.E. vs. James Bay, at Beacon Hill, lower ground; referee, MacKay.

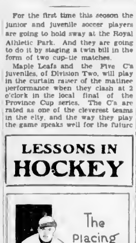
Kick-off at 1 30 o'clock.

In the only senior game on the programme, Westholmes and Five C's will meet in a Combination Cup fixture at Beacon Hill, lower ground, at 3 o'clock. Tomorrow's teams are announced as follows:

Westholmes—Robertson, Stevens, Carmichael, Cooper, Carver, Vickers, Johnson, MacDonald, Southern, Ross and Tipper.

Royal Oak—Johnston, Leggett, Robbins, Glenny, Gibson, Williams, Viggers, Robbins, Terry, Halket and Campbell; reserves, Moore and Miller.

LESSONS IN HOCKEY



How should forwards be placed when attacking?

By R. W. HEWITSON

For fifteen years Canadian hockey referee, referee Canadian Professional Hockey League and official on staff of National Professional Hockey League.

There are many and varied plays in hockey just as in all other sports but unlike football, for instance, where all plays are made from formations that are started more or less in the same way, the hockey action is sustained so fast that the positions of the players become such that it is impossible to work things always under a system. But it is presumed in this instance that the forwards go down together, the centre man in his place, the right wing on his side and the left wing on his. When they reach the attacking zone, which means that forward passes are not permissible then the positions should be with the man carrying the puck slightly ahead of the other two. Too often such is not the case, and what is looked upon as a dangerous attack is spoiled by an offside, the toot of the referee's whistle and a stoppage in the play. The man with the puck, therefore, should always be in advance of the other two. In this way when his pass goes across the ice to one of his mates that man is onside and the play is not stopped. Also it means that the man receiving the pass is enabled to keep going at his usual speed, is not forced to slow up slightly in order to prevent an offside pass, and so the full force of his speed is retained and he can take the pass on the end of his stick in a perfect position for a shot with his full force.

WORTERS LEADING N.H.L. NETMINDER

New York Americans' Goalie Has Stopped 1,156 Shots—Lorne Chabot Is Close Second

MONTREAL, March 7.—Goalies of the two New York hockey clubs, Roy Worters of the Americans and John Ross Roach of the Rangers, led the netminders of the International and United States sections, respectively, at the three-quarter mark in the National Hockey League race, according to statistics just released from the office of President Frank Calder.

Worters had played in twenty-eight games at the three-quarter mark and 1,156 shots had been launched against him, the third greatest number in the section. Only thirty shots eluded the small, keen-eyed guardian of the New York nets.

Lorne Chabot materially improved his standing as against the figures at the halfway mark. Chabot had 1,357 shots directed at him, of which fifty-eight escaped him.

Roach, of the Rangers, who went to the champions in a trade for Chabot, had played in thirty-three games at the three-quarter mark handled 1,312 shots and saved 1,271. This gave him the leading average of .969, only three points ahead of "Dolly" Dolson, Detroit.

The strength of the Boston Bruins' defence is attested by the fact that only 1,075 shots were directed at "Tiny" Thompson and only fifty-nine goals were scored.

"Chuck" Gardiner, Chicago Black Hawks, holds the record for the greatest number of shots handled by goalies in either section. In all, the sharpshooters directed 1,360 shots at him and he stopped all except fifty-nine, an average of .956.

Keating Basketball

Three games of basketball are carded tonight, commencing at 8 o'clock, at the Temperance Hall, Keating. Bob Whyte will bring his Orioles out to tackle the Keating girls; James Island will play the intermediates, and the V.M.G. will take on the seniors.

STILL AMBITIOUS

Simon P. Gillis, fifty-four-year-old weight thrower, may win a place on America's Olympic team. He won the national junior championship in 1906 and represented the United States in international competition thereafter, but has been retired for fifteen years.

VETERAN SHOT ELECTED HEAD

Major F. Richardson Is Elected President of Victoria and District Military Rifle Association

STEVE REDGRAVE IS SECRETARY

Major Fred Richardson, veteran marksman, and many times member of the Canadian Bisley team, was last night elected president of the Victoria and District Military Rifle Association at the annual meeting held in the Armories, Bay Street. Lieutenant G. Weiler was elected vice-president, and Corporal Steve Redgrave, P.P.C.L.I., secretary-treasurer.

Reports submitted by the retiring officers spoke of the success of the previous year, while the many marksmen present were all optimistic as to the outcome for the coming season.

The date for the opening of Heals rifle range for the 1929-30 season will be settled by the executive committee elected last night. There is every possibility of the first shots being fired on Good Friday, but this will not be definitely known until the executive council meets in the near future. Members of the council elected last night are as follows: Captain W. E. Tapley, Captain B. Gadsden, A.Q.M.S. A. E. Evans, and Captain T. H. Wheadon.

R. Randolph Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, and General Sutherland Brown, G.O.C. M.D. 11, were named patrons of the association.

Double Knockout Play-Off in League Basketball Queried

VANCOUVER, March 7. — The double knockout play-off system of the Vancouver and District Basketball League is under criticism. The basis of the system is that as long as a team wins games that team keeps on playing. Thus, a team may have to play four games in a row against fresh opposition every night to win the series. Adanacs of New Westminster have won two games in the present senior "A" men's series, beating Crusaders and Province of Vancouver. According to the play-off regulations, Adanacs should meet Province on Saturday night. If successful, the Adanacs would then be called upon to play Crusaders in a fourth game. This the New Westminster team objects to, claiming Crusaders and Province should play Saturday night. The executive of the league, however, decided today that Adanacs and Province should play.

HOCKEY RESULTS

FORT ERIE, Ont., March 7.—The Buffalo Bisons remained in a contending position for play-offs in the Canpro Hockey League race by defeating London, 8-3, here last night.

HAMILTON, Ont., March 7.—Hamilton Tigers failed to stop the second-place Windsor Bulldogs in a Canpro hockey game here last night, losing, 1-0.

DULUTH, Minn., March 7.—Duluth took the final game of the season from Kansas City, 4-0, in an American Hockey Association game here last night.

Percy Williams Will Compete at Montreal Meet

MONTREAL, March 7. — Percy Williams, the world's premier sprinter, will show his wares to Montrealers on April 18, when he will take part in an indoor athletic meet at the Forum. The meet is under the auspices of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association, and it is expected that Jack Elder, the Notre Dame flash, who handed Williams his only defeat of present indoor season, will also compete.

Miss Ethel Catherwood, the women's high jumper, champion of the world, will also be present, it is stated.

CARPET BOWLING

Directors of the Burnside Lawn Bowling Club will meet in Hampton Hall this evening to consider the club budget for 1929. Entrance fees, playing fees and associate fees will all come under review, and the first of the season's applications for membership will be balloted on. Every year bowling promises to become more and more a Summer attraction in this city, and now with greens in course of construction at Lake Hill and Victoria West, the prospects for this fascinating pastime are brighter than ever. A team of Britishers have just completed a five weeks' stay in the South and another team is being booked to visit Eastern Canada in July. The Britishers will not visit British Columbia on this occasion.

Rugby Fifteens Will Clash in Title Games At Willows Tomorrow

Canadian Scottish and Bays to Meet in Senior Tussle—University School and College Intermediate Fifteens to Battle

Two championship Rugby tussles. That's the dish for followers of the oval ball game tomorrow. The scene of this twin bill is the Willows oval, while the kick-offs are slated for 2:30 and 3 30.

In the curtain raiser, if one might dare to call the first game such, University School and Victoria College intermediate fifteens will meet to decide the championship of the second half of the schedule. As the situation is at present, the teams are tied for this honor, whereas the Collegians copped the first half. If University School fifteen wish to stay in the spotlight, they must win tomorrow's important struggle and by so doing win the second half honors.

Victory for Victoria College will give them the Intermediate League championship and the right to meet the Mainland champs for the British Columbia title. However, should the University School fifteen come through with a win, and there is nothing to say that they will not, a play-off for the league championship will be necessary. This would in all probability be held next Wednesday.

SENIOR BATTLE

The senior battle promises to be a struggle of a century, with the J.B.A.A. opposing the 16th Canadian Scottish fifteen. Rival squads will be at full strength for the tussle, the outcome of which will decide the champions of the Victoria Rugby Union for the 1928-29 season.

The crack militia fifteen copped the honors in the first half, but Bob McInnes' bustling Bays won the second half after their 10-0 victory over the Scottish last week at the Willows. Tomorrow's engagement between these teams promises to have the color of a Canadian championship event and, after all, why not?

The victor in this struggle will cross the Gulf waters to meet the champions of the Vancouver League for the British Columbia championship. That's a prize worth fighting for, and when it comes to fighting the Bays and the Scottish know their Rugby.

The teams will line up as follows:

J.B.A.A. — Frampton, Caviness, Skillings, Gaunt, Cockin, Webster, McLean, McMillan, Mawhood, Watson, Forbes, Johnson, Goad, Warnock and Lock.

Canadian Scottish—Kennedy, Oliver, Cabeldu, Horne, Kinamen, Holt, Turton, Reg Wenman, Lamb, Beck, Bernard, Fanning, Macmurchie, F. Pollard and W. Pollard.

V. L. Denton, secretary of the Victoria Rugby Union, stated last night that arrangements are under way for the local champions of the senior and intermediate leagues to appear in Vancouver on Saturday, March 16. This date, according to the local official, is most suitable to the Victoria teams, and if at all possible this will be the date of the provincial play-offs.

Times Set for Opening Carpet Bowling Rounds

International Match Will Feature First Day's Play at Crystal Garden Tournament Next Monday—Governor to Open Meet

The fourth annual championship of the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League will open Monday at the Crystal Gardens. Lieutenant-Governor Bruce will officially open the tournament when he bowls the first ball in the international fixture at 9 45 o'clock.

The following will represent the various nationalities in the series:

Scotland—G. Cruickshank, H. M. Wright, A. McMillan, G. Vallance (skip); R. Kier, J. Johnston, J. McMillan, J. Leiper (skip); T. Gibson, G. Vallance, T. Currie, A. McMillan (skip); P. Johnston, J. Leiper, J. McMillan, H. Reid (skip).

Canada—W. Nesbitt, W. B. Colven, C. Nelson, A. Mitchell (skip); W. Pearson, S. Sampson, F. Saunders, W. H. Hislop (skip); W. Savage, C. A. Goodwin, A. McCallum, A. Mitchell (skip); L. W. Cockrill, J. Dennis, G. Tuthill, W. F. Hislop (skip). Reserves, J. Harvey and H. Meadows.

England—F. Holmes, F. J. Byng, F. Thackeray, W. Kirchin (skip); E. Scroggs, G. B. Carley, A. Slocomb, P. Oliver (skip); W. Peddle, S. Hawkins, A. Edwards, W. Kerchin (skip); F. Hawes, W. Washington, T. Mayne, P. Oliver (skip). Reserves, F. Bridge and W. Mercer.

The following will be the schedule, figures in brackets denote number of table:

MONDAY

7 p.m., (1 and 2)—Canada vs. Scotland.

Novice Singles

7 p.m. (2)—Pugh vs. McKenzie.

7 45 p.m., (3)—Harrison vs. Hoey.

9 30 p.m., (3)—Wood vs. Enoch.

9 15 p.m., (2)—Groutage vs. Cockrill.

10 p.m., (3)—Hendry vs. Hibberd.

9 30 p.m., (1)—Grummond vs. Davey.

9 30 p.m., (2)—Flett vs. Bossom.

TUESDAY

Doubles

7 p.m. (1)—Tuthill and Vallance vs. Hawkins and Slocomb.

7 p.m., (2)—Phillips and Wallace vs. Hislop and Lamoie.

7 p.m., (3)—Harrison and Holloway vs. Godwin and Waterhouse.

8 15 p.m., (1)—Bridge and Hawes vs. Keyworth and Prior.

8 15 p.m., (2)—Ashworth and Rogers vs. Hislop and Johnston.

8 15 p.m., (3)—Corkrill and Groutage vs. Bossom and Bland.

9 30 p.m., (1)—Colvin and Mayne vs. Fraser and Cooper.

9 30 p.m., (3)—Leiper and Scroggs vs. Campion and Currie.

8 30 p.m., (3)—Meadows and Leal vs. Stewart and Williamson.

WEDNESDAY

7 p.m., (1 and 2)—England vs. Canada.

Novice Singles

7 p.m., (3)—Morrow vs. Walters.

7 45 p.m., (3)—Richardson vs. Childs.

8 30 p.m., (2)—Watts vs. Gornall.

9 15 p.m., (2)—Lowe vs. Mayfield.

10 p.m., (3)—Eastham vs. Cooney.

9 30 p.m., (1)—Prior vs. Booth.

9 30 p.m., (3)—Townsend vs. Holloway.

Any player or players not ready to start at time specified will forfeit game.

Rugby Officials Ask For Support of Fans At Games Tomorrow

AN urgent appeal to all Rugby fans to attend tomorrow's championship tussles at the Willows Oval was issued last night by officials of the Victoria Rugby Union. The net receipts from these games will be devoted to the injured players' fund, and as there have been upwards of twelve accidents this year during league fixtures, the fans can readily see just how badly the money is needed.

FLORIDA-EAST COAST TOURNAMENT IS IN SEMI-FINAL STAGE

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., March 7.—Four of the country's greatest women golfers advanced today to the semi-final of the Florida East Coast tournament—Miss Glenna Collett, Virginia Van Wei, Helen Hicks and Bernice Wall.

Old Country Rugby

LONDON, March 7. — Bedford beat the Royal Air Force in a match under Rugby Union rules today by 12 points to 3.

In the Mobs Memorial Rugby played at Northampton, between East Midlands and Barbarians, the score was a tie, 8-all.

GOLF AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

Do you advise clubs with knobs on the end to keep them from slipping out of the player's hand? Give reasons for or against.

Answered by

JOHNNY FARRELL

I think it is a good idea to have knobs on the end of your clubs, or have the grip built up on top.

The reason for this, in my opinion, is not so much to keep the club from slipping out of the hand as to keep from relaxing the back part of the left hand.

In swinging to the top, if you look at your left hand and check up on the point you will find you are relaxing the left hand too much. This means overswinging and losing control of the club.

Most pros are using knobs at the ends of shafts for this reason and they all seem to like the results they produce.

LEADERS WILL FACE CARDIFF

League Soccer Will Be Resumed in Old Country Tomorrow — Sunderland to Meet Newcastle

RANGERS AT HOME TO HIBERNIANS

LONDON, March 7.—With the cup ties out of the way for three weeks, attention of soccer fans in the British Isles has turned to league games. In the English First Division Sheffield Wednesday is the pace-setter with a four-point lead on Sunderland, with Aston Villa third. The Wednesday face Cardiff City in the Welsh city on Saturday and should not do worse than draw. Sunderland will engage Newcastle United and a battle royal will ensue. Aston Villa plays against their neighbors, Birmingham.

Middlesbrough, leading the Second Division, have a hard nut to crack, as they must go to Swansea, who walloped Preston North End last Saturday so decisively.

Northampton, out in front of the pack in the Southern Section of the Third Division, have been set a hard task by the schedule makers. Their opponents are Crystal Palace, a very tough team to beat at Sulton Park this season.

The Northern Section leaders, Stockport County, are at home to New Brighton and should pick up a couple of points.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

In the Scottish First Division, unless unexpected accidents happen, the first three teams of the league have already been decided. Rangers cannot help again winning the championship, while Hearts should be second and Motherwell third. Both the second and third teams have stern contests ahead of them Saturday as Hearts clash with St. Johnstone and Motherwell with Kilmarnock. Rangers will be at home to Hibernians and should not lose.

Scintillation Favorite for Lincolnshire

LONDON, March 7.—(Canadian Press Cable).—C. W. Whitburn's four-year-old chestnut colt, Scintillation by Lemberg, out of Attic Salt, has been installed as favorite for the Lincolnshire Handicap, to be run at Lincoln on March 20 at odds of 9 to 1 against. The colt will carry 90 pounds, with Stephenson up.

Lord Beaverbrook's four-year-old brown colt, Miscou, 95 pounds, and H. Stobart's four-year-old bay gelding, Umslopagaas, 98 pounds, are quoted at 100 to 7 against.

Harpist, 109; Cornwallis, 90; Nestorian, 87, are quoted at 20 to 1 against.

LONDON, March 7.—(Canadian Press Cable).—Sir Hugh Nugent's Norwest was withdrawn from the Lincolnshire Handicap last night.

Regina Vics Take Lead in Play-Offs

REGINA, March 7.—Regina Victorias, champions of the Big Six Hockey League, are seven goals ahead of Saskatoon Wesleys in the race for the Saskatchewan title. Their advantage, to be tested Friday night, was established by a 8-2 win last night in the opening contest of a two-game series decided by total goals, for the provincial honors.

Golf's Vital Plays as Told by Masters

Phillips Finlay, Longest Driving Amateur in United States, Tells How He Does It

By PHILLIPS FINLAY

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Driving has a tendency to be over-emphasized long tee shots have paved the way for many a championship, but too much stress can be placed upon them. Though my drive has attracted more attention than any other part of the game, it is also my most troublesome shot.

I always hit the ball with nearly all my strength, for whenever I try to ease up the shot is a failure. The whole secret of my distance lies in the accurate timing of weight shifting with the delayed wrist snap. I use a long, arched swing, taking the club head back slowly. The left arm is kept unusually straight with very supple wrists, allowing the club to swing back a little below horizontal.

The shift is caused by throwing the whole body weight on to the right foot at the top of the swing without moving the head, and then swinging that weight on to the left foot just before and during the impact.

This should not be construed as sway. The left arm is perfectly straight, right up to the finish, guiding the stroke. The right wrist does most of the work. My right hand is slightly under the shaft and the left rather on top, making that wrist strike at the ball edgewise. This gives the maximum distance, though it is rather difficult to control.

I use a wide stance, playing the ball off my left toe, tee the ball high, and hit on the upswing, with a slightly lofted driver which weighs 13½ ounces. The swing is flat, rather than upright.

Bobby Jones is the most consistently long and straight driver I have ever seen, with Gene Sarazen, a close second. Jones hooks the ball when off form, but never enough to put him out of the running.

The greatest tee shot I ever saw was the one Bobby played in the final of the National championship at Minnikahda against Chick Evans. It came on the ninth hole of the morning round. This hole is 519 yards long, slightly dog-legged, and with the last half up a steep grade it must play pretty close to six hundred yards.

Jones proceeded to clout his ball a terrific distance up the fairway, and so accurately placed to avoid an out-of-bounds on the right that he was able to bag a spoon shot to within two feet of the cup for the only eagle three ever made on that hole. Most of the praise was given that beautiful second, but that drive of over 300 yards put Jones in a position where he could make it.

A drive thirty yards shorter than the one he had there would have made it impossible to reach the green with a spoon or brassie, and he would have had to be content with a par five.

Jones hits shots like that when they are necessary. There are several professionals and amateurs who can bat as far on a given shot, but under pressure there are few who can equal Jones day in and day out.

(Next—Al Espinosa, on Driving).

Rose City Squad Go To Second Berth in Coast Hockey League

Portland Nets Two Goals in First Period When Conn and Teel Score—Timmins Saves Bucks in Final Session

PORTLAND, March 7. — The Buckaroos slipped into second place tonight over Seattle by defeating the Eskimos, 2-0, in a Pacific Coast Hockey League game, marked by rigid defence and real hockey science.

In spite of the rivalry between the teams it was not marked by the scrapping which took place when Seattle played here before. There were plenty of penalties dished out, but none of them were for flagrant offences.

Portland cinched the game in the first period when it scored both goals. The first was made when Captain Conn took Downie's long pass, eluded the Seattle defence and got in close to Levine, who had no chance to save.

Teel made the second fourteen minutes and seven seconds later. He broke through and shot, but Levine saved. Teel took the puck on the rebound and sent it past Levine. The Portland defence seemed to go to pieces in the second period. Several different times the only thing that saved the Bucks was the net guardianship of Timmins. He stopped shots that looked like sure scores.

Seattle opened with a rush in the third, but the Portland defence stiffened. Both McGoldrick and Johnson were injured at different times, and had to leave the ice for a few moments.

THE LINE-UPS

Portland		Seattle
Timmins	Goal	Levine
McGoldrick	Defence	Johanneson
Johnson	Defence	Borland
Downie	Centre	Brown
Teel	Wing	Walker
Conn	Wing	Harris
Pratt	Sub.	Daly
Armstrong	Sub.	Lowe
Bond	Sub	Sutherland
Sands	Sub.	Runge

SUMMARY

First period—1, Portland, Conn from Downie, 8 38; 2, Portland, Teel, 14 07.

Second period—No score.

Third period—No score.

PENALTIES

First period—Downie, Lowe, Borland.

Second period—None.

Third period—Downie (2), Harris (2), Pratt, Lowe (3), Teel (2), Johanneson, Overand, McGoldrick.

Referee—Ion.

COWICHAN STAR IS DEFEATED

Mrs. Rice Plays in Canadian Badminton Championships at Vancouver Tomorrow

PROSPECTS LINE-UP FOR MEN'S FINALS

VANCOUVER, March 7.—The majority of the Eastern players worked through to the third round of the men's and women's singles in the first day of the Canadian badminton championships, which opened early this morning and continued all day.

Argue, of Montreal, and Purcell, of Toronto, looked like the best prospects to contest the men's singles, though Campbell, of Winnipeg, put up a good game. Mrs. F. Coke, Toronto, who is the present women's champion, swept through the opposition in two matches with ease.

Mrs. Rice, of Cowichan, B.C., went down before the superior play of Miss G. Mowatt, Montreal. Mrs. Archibald, of Toronto, won two matches in commanding style.

Jones, of Winnipeg, secured a notable victory in defeating Sparling in three sets after dropping the first set.

Purcell, of Toronto, eliminated H. E. Sheppard in straight sets, while Hayden, of Winnipeg, went down before the superior play of Ossie Ryall, Vancouver.

The women's play created the most interest in the morning. Miss Lyle, Vancouver, failing to score a point against Mrs. Coke, the Toronto expert. Miss Eileen George, Vancouver's best for the past ten years, was forced to play her best to eliminate Mrs. Pirt, of Winnipeg.

Mrs. Horton, of Winnipeg, won from Miss M. Purkis, of Toronto, and Miss Gill, of Vancouver, won from Mrs. Gooderham, Toronto; Mrs. Archibald, Toronto, a very strong player, eliminated Mrs. Partington, Vancouver.

Leney, Duncan, B.C., defeated Dyde, Edmonton, 15-6, 15-12.

AFTERNOON SCORES

Men's Singles

Forsyth beat Jones, Winnipeg, 15-11, 17-16.

Argue, Montreal, beat A. S. Appelby, Vancouver, walkover.

Women's Singles

Mrs. Freeland, Vancouver, beat Miss Dupreane, Quebec, 11-3, 11-1.

Mrs. Boone, Toronto, beat Miss Huntting, Vancouver, 11-8, 11-3.

Mrs. Muir, Vancouver, beat Miss Emseille, Toronto, walkover.

Miss D. Mowatt, Montreal, beat Mrs. Rice, Cowichan, 11-0, 11-2.

Miss Lafferty, Quebec, beat Mrs. Mathewson, Montreal, 11-3, 11-0.

Mrs. Coke, Toronto, beat Miss L. Mowatt, Montreal, 11-3, 11-0.

Mrs. Facus, Vancouver, beat Mrs. Horton, Winnipeg, 11-3, 11-1.

Mrs. Archibald, Toronto, beat Miss A. Purkis, Toronto, 11-7, 11-3.

COLONIST TAKE THREE

Colonist, City League trundlers, applied the clean-up act to the Colonist Night Owls in a league fixture rolled on the Arcade Alleys yesterday by taking three games. A. Hawkins, of the Colonist, led the aggregate pin-spilling brigade with 595, while J. Huxtable, of the Owls, was high individual man with 220. Scores follow:

Colonist Night Owls

J. Skellern	210	166	149	525
W. Norris	161	208	178	547
A. Anderson	178	115	118	411
J. Huxtable	171	189	220	580
H. Moulton	165	152	162	479
Totals	885	830	827	2542

Colonist

B. Pickup	156	179	132	467
G. Motion	183	180	177	540
W. Fairall	177	176	179	532
A. Hawkins	182	218	195	595
C. Chislett	192	155	200	547
Totals	890	908	883	2681

QUINNETTES TAKE THREE

Rolling their usual strong games, the Quinnettes took three from the Poodle Dog Cafe trundlers in a Five-pin League fixture on the Arcade Alleys last night. The Quinnettes set two new marks, that of 1,139 for one game, and 2,111 for high aggregate score. A. Porter, of the winners, also set a new individual game mark when he toppled 235 pins in the first game. Scores follow:

Poodle Dog Cafe

S. Buckley	88	117	105	310
F. Welsh	122	127	133	383
C. Richardson	104	113	111	328
H. Beer	165	131	152	448
N. Nelson	168	178	168	515
Totals	648	666	669	1983

Quinnettes

N. Fell	218	108	214	536
G. Wilkinson	166	159	247	572
A. Porter	235	167	207	709
J. Huxtable	234	186	263	683
J. Quinn	167	236	208	601
Totals	1121	861	1139	3111

RARE ATHLETE

Benny Oosterbaan has graduated from the University of Michigan, leaving a record as one of the greatest athletes ever produced by the Wolverine school. He won nine letters, his specialties being football, basketball and baseball.

England Opens in Fifth Test Match Under Handicaps

Game Begins With Substitutes in Both Elevens —English Captain Unable to Play—Hobbs and Jardine Score 51 Without Loss of Wicket

MELBOURNE, March 8 (Friday). The fifth and last test match between the cricket teams of Australia and England began today. The latter has won the first four.

Both teams had substitutes in the line-ups when England won the toss and began batting with Hobbs and Jardine. At adjournment the score was 51 for no wickets, Hobbs had 36 and Jardine 13, with 3 extras.

A P. Chapman, England's captain, was still in bed with influenza, while Herbert Sutcliffe, one of the batting mainstays, has not recovered from a strained shoulder. Two other players, Freeman, the slow bowler, and Amos, wicket keeper, are out of it through injuries. Neither Freeman nor Amos have been played in test matches in Australia so far, but they represent about all the reserve strength the visitors have left. Fortunately, Hammond appears to have recovered from his illness, as he made a century against Victoria this week after filling in as wicket keeper.

Australia, having lost the rubber, is experimenting with a new team, in which many of the players are youngsters. Three juvenile cricketers have already been broken in, Bradman, Jackson and A. Hickett.

Three more men will make their debut, Fairfax, Wall and Hornibrook. Of the old guard, only five are left, Hyder, the captain, Woodfull, the great batsman who made 270, not out, against England at Victoria, Kippax, Oldfield and Grimmett.

On paper the new Australian team looks to be tremendously strong.

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DUKEDOM REWARDS SUPPORTERS PLENTY

(Special to The Colonist.)

TIJUANA, March 7.—Valkyr, the property of Oxford & Cormack's second defence raced his way to victory in the San Francisco Handicap, the main money on today's eight-course menu. Valkyr, with Kelsay up, made his wins, holding him steadily, hung onto the pace, around both turns. For the final sprint Willie took his charge to the outside "clear air" and put him through the middle of the average for a length's advantage coming away on the bit. Dr Wilson was second and Eddie Abrams third.

The best rider and the best horse made the best pair in the three-quarter spirited billed as the fifth event. At its conclusion George Colburn, racing under the colors of the Canyon Stables presented Speedy Shaw and Willie Barrett to the judges. Shasta Maple had skipped into a lead in the back stretch that swelled Mike Byrd's heart. Barrett, however, was near at hand on the far corner, and pirted up the leader and forced him as they straightened for home. Shasta Maple although tiring fast, took the place from Bidable, who was showing some good flashes of speed.

A terrific blow was inflicted the form doctors in the mile and a quarter marathon scheduled as the third race. When Jockey Wilson boated the favorable Dukedom into the lead at the end.

Wilson gave the winner his head in the stretch and drove off a hard challenge by Rockbomb, the favorite. Dukedom paid in-times figures, $47 to $2.

Baron Long's Norah won the maiden mess at four furlongs, with ease, in the hailing number.

Results follow:

First race—Four furlongs.
Valkyr (Kelsay) 10.00 $2.80 $2.60
Red Moonlight (Baker) 3.00 2.60
Sun Dancing (Allen) 2.60
Time, :47 4-5. Also ran: Dreamcatcher, Don Meade, Bonnie, Miss Valk, Mirandum, Bidder, Great Miss Angel, Ivory Ann, Ivory Ann, Ivory Ann.

Second race—Five furlongs.
Boy, Beth Noble, Weber, Come Weak.

Second race—Five furlongs.
Norah (Tiner) 10.00 $2.80 $2.40
Bonnie Heart 3.00 2.80
Patrick Sarsfield (Jones) 2.60
Time, :59 4-5. Also ran: Jack Ward, Dixie Gordon, Mr. Davis, Dr. Amos Bell, Dixie Gold, Sunstone, Marbrook, Hypnotic, Sparkling Lass, Joe Mc Allen, Rebellion, Buff's Time, Snowden, Omnium.

Third race—Mile and one-quarter.
Dukedom (Wilson) $47.40 $10.40 $2.80
Rockbomb (Kelsay) 3.00 2.80
Abrams (Baker) 2.60
Time, 2:06 1-5. Also ran: Mob Mother, Sparkler, Mike Byrd, Wrackham, Bella Pap, Alice Lorraine, Private Secy, O. B. Wrackham

POWDERED COAL IS UNDER TEST

BRITISH VESSEL MAKES RUN FROM ENGLAND TO AUSTRALIA ON NEW FUEL

11,000-Ton Vessel Is First to Pass Through Canal With Triple-Flow Burners

Shipping men are watching with interest the experiments being conducted with pulverized coal as fuel aboard the British steamship Hororata, a vessel of 11,000 gross tons register, which arrived in New Zealand recently from London via Norfolk.

She was the first pulverized coal burner to pass through the Panama Canal. In describing the voyage of the Hororata, The Panama Canal Record says:

The Hororata recently had her boiler furnaces partly converted to burn pulverized coal, the three single-ended boilers in her forward stokehold having been fitted each with four burners for that purpose.

The burner used is of the triple-flow type. The pulverized coal is projected into the furnaces between two bodies of primary air, while secondary air is supplied by a heater, a patented device enabling the furnace front to be arranged with an inner chamber in which the secondary air is heated to a high temperature and mixed with primary air in such a way as to give rapid and complete combustion. In fitting this burner to an existing boiler little alteration of the original construction is required. Reversion to hand-firing can be effected in an hour or two if required.

After being crushed, the coal is taken by a conveyor to a bin which holds enough for a day's consumption and supplies three pulverizers. The blowing plant consists of three fans, and in connection with each of these there are four separate distributors to the four burners of each boiler. The crushers and the conveyors are driven by electric motors, and the pulverizers and fans by small steam turbines, but these pulverizing arrangements are not definite, and changes are in view to reduce both the cost and space occupied.

The Hororata has been engaged in the London-New Zealand trade, via the Panama Canals, since 1923.

NAVAL LECTURE FOR YACHT CLUB

Another of the series of lectures will be given this evening to members of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club and their friends at the clubhouse, Uplands, by Commander D. W. Farmer, R.N. (retired) on the "Naval Commission on Control in Germany."

SHIPS PASSING

Bound for Vancouver, the motorship Canada passed up at 1.45 o'clock yesterday afternoon and the Shell Oil tanker, Los Alamos, at 2.45. Ss. Jersey City passed out to sea at noon, the Treloske at 9 p.m. and the German motorship Seattle at 11 p.m., according to Federal Pilots.

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Canadian Pacific Sailings to EUROPE

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*April 6	Duchess of York

*To Liverpool only

To Glasgow-Belfast-Liverpool

April 12	Duchess of Bedford

To Belfast-Glasgow

March 31	Melita
April 4	Minnedosa

To Cherbourg-Southampton-Antwerp

March 28	Montcalm
April 2	Montclare
April 17	Metagama

To Cherbourg-Southampton-Hamburg

April 10	Montroyal

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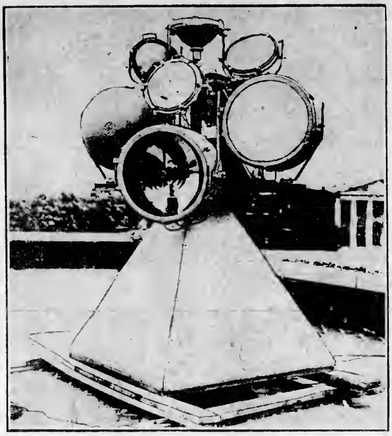

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Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Vessel Movements

SEATTLE, March 7.—Arrived: Doyle-town, Port Angeles; Ms Californian, Ms Hakubason Maru, Tacoma; West Mineo, Sound ports; Flaw City, Dietelik, San Francisco; La Brea, Oleum; Wales Maru, Yokohama; Daisy Gray, Los Angeles; Jacob Maersk, Lopes. Sailed: Jacob Maersk, Tampico; Sidney M. Hauptman, Caddopeak; Edwin Christensen, Port Angeles; Tacoma; Ms Californian, San Francisco.

TACOMA, March 7.—Arrived: Port Angeles, Loveria, Aumama, Seattle; Akitisan Maru, Yokohama. Sailed: Highland Heather, Rotterdam; Provincial, Santa Rosalia; Dolrsteen, Olympia; Levoric, London.

PORTLAND, March 7.—Arrived: Daisy Gadsby, San Francisco; Texan, Boston; Andre Luckenbach, Tacoma; Oeisha, Yokohama. Sailed: Ms Columbia Maru, Yokohama; West Setus, Buenos Aires; Admiral Peary, San Francisco; Ms Pacific Shipper, Glasgow; Eldorado, San Francisco; Galena, Los Angeles; Breaner, San Francisco; Herman Frasch, Puget Sound and British Columbia ports.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Arrived: Charles R. McCormick, Grays Harbor; Wilmington, Guaymas. Sailed: Dorothy Matthews, Coos Bay; Lake Frances, Hawaiian; Whitney Olsen, Seattle; Dorothy Luckenbach, Philadelphia; Annie Johnson, Stockholm; Drechtdyk, Rotterdam; Admiral Peoples, Portland; George Washington, Vancouver; Humboldt, D. G. Scofield, Dan P. Hanlon, San Pedro.

ARRIVED

CHRISTOBAL, March 3.—Coquina, San Francisco.

MANILA, March 7.—Dryden, San Pedro.

HAMBURG, March 4.—Tonsking, Vancouver.

MANILA, March 7.—Grays Harbor, Vancouver.

SHANGHAI, March 7.—Africa Maru, Seattle; Mantauk, Seattle.

DAIREN, March 7.—Golden Harp, San Francisco.

WELLINGTON, March 7.—Waitemata, San Francisco.

CHARLESTON, March 7.—Pennsylvanian, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, March 7.—Touraine, San Pedro.

SAILED

NEW YORK, March 7.—Larry Doheny, San Pedro.

CALCUTTA, March 7.—Silver Spruce, San Pedro.

YOKOHAMA, March 8.—Yayoi Maru, Grays Harbor.

SINGAPORE, March 7.—Roxen, San Francisco; Shinyo Maru, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, March 7.—Robert Luckenbach, San Francisco.

PANAMA CANAL, March 6.—West Mahwah, San Francisco; Willfaro, New York for San Francisco; Hilda Knudsen, Avonmouth for San Pedro; Oilfield, Tyne for Pacific ports; American, Liverpool for Pacific ports.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—From Orient, April 27.

PACIFIC PIONEER—From England, April 13.

TO DEPART

PRESIDENT LINCOLN—For Orient, March 9.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—For Orient, March 9.

NIAGARA—For Antipodes, March 9.

TALTHYBIUS—For Orient, March 13.

ALABAMA MARU—For Orient, March 13.

PRESIDENT MADISON—For Orient, March 23.

MISHIMA MARU—For Orient, March 22.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—For Orient, March 30.

IXION—For Orient, April 3.

IYO MARU—For Orient, April 3.

AORANGI—For Antipodes, April 3.

PRESIDENT JACKSON—For Orient, April 6.

ARIZONA MARU—For Orient, April 4.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, April 10.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

MARCH

CHINA AND JAPAN

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—Mails close March 9, 3 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 21, Shanghai, March 25, Hong Kong, March 28.

*TALTHYBIUS—Mails close March 10, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 27, Hong Kong April 8.

†ALABAMA MARU—Mails close March 13, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 29, Shanghai, April 6.

PRESIDENT MADISON—Mails close March 22, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 6, Shanghai April 6, Hong Kong, April 13.

‡LONDON MARU—Mails close March 20, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 10.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close March 30, 3 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 11, Shanghai, April 15, Hong Kong, April 19.

†IXION—Mails close April 2, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 17.

*Mails for Japan, Hong Kong and Canton.

†Mails for Japan and Shanghai.

‡Mails for Japan only.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

NIAGARA—Mails close March 9, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland March 23, Sydney, March 28.

†SIERRA—Mails close March 11, 6 p.m. Due at Sydney April 4.

MAKURA—Mails close March 17, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington April 6, Sydney April 11.

AORANGI—Mails close April 8, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland April 22, Sydney, April 27.

†Mails for Fiji and Australia only.

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE

Table Showing Transit Time From Victoria. Eastbound daily, including Sunday. Air mail closing tonight at 11 o'clock.

Boise, Idaho. Arrives day after tomorrow, 6.20 a.m.

Boston, Mass. Arrives on the fourth day, 3.35 a.m.

*Buffalo, N.Y. Arrives on the third day, 2 M. p.m.

Chicago, Ill. Arrives on the third day, 6.40 a.m.

Cleveland, Ohio. Arrives on the third day, 11 a.m.

Dallas, Texas. Arrives on the fourth day, 9 a.m.

Denver, Colo. Arrives on the third day, 6.00 a.m.

Detroit, Mich. Arrives on the third day, 12 noon.

Minneapolis, Minn. Arrives on the third day, 11.40 a.m.

New Orleans, La. Arrives on the fourth day, 12.30 a.m.

*New York, N.Y. Arrives on the third day, 6.40 p.m.

Omaha, Neb. Arrives on the third day, 12.00 a.m.

Ottawa, Ont. Arrives on the fourth day, 7 a.m.

*Philadelphia, Pa. Arrives on the third day, 7.25 p.m.

*Pittsburgh, Pa. Arrives on the third day, 1.40 p.m.

St. Louis, Mo. Arrives on the third day, 9.12 a.m.

St. Paul, Minn. Arrives on the third day, 11.30 a.m.

Salt Lake City, Utah. Arrives day after tomorrow, 10.30 p.m.

*Toronto, Ont. Arrives on the third day, 6.36 a.m.

Washington, D.C. Arrives on the third day, 11.45 a.m.

Southbound daily, except Sunday. Air mail closing this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

*San Francisco, Cal. Arrives tomorrow, 1.15 a.m.

*Fresno, Cal. Arrives tomorrow, 8.25 p.m.

*Los Angeles, Cal. Arrives tomorrow, 9.12 p.m.

San Diego, Cal. Arrives day after tomorrow, 2.30 p.m.

Atlanta, Ga. Arrives on the fourth day, 8.17 a.m.

*For delivery on day of arrival a special delivery stamp will be necessary on letters addressed to these points.

"Photographs are no guide to character," says a psychologist. However, we shall always be prejudiced about those in the rogues' gallery.

WEST COAST SERVICE

Now effective, the steamer leaves for Port Alice and way ports on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Cloudy, light, southeast; 30.00; 44; light swell.

PACHENA—Cloudy, light, south; 30.30; 46; moderate.

CARMANAH—Part cloudy, light, south; 30.30; light swell.

CAPE BEALE—Part cloudy, light, southeast; 30.35; moderate swell.

PRINCE RUPERT—Overcast, light, southeast; 30.00; 37; moderate swell.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan 8 p.m. unless otherwise stated.)

DOROTHY LUCKENBACH—San Francisco for Los Angeles, 4776 miles off San Francisco.

GOLDEN EAGLE—Everett for San Francisco, 332 miles north of San Francisco.

ISHIKARI MARU—Bound Victoria, 600 miles off Estevan.

MARY ELLEN O'NEILL—Los Angeles for Baltimore, 896 miles off Balboa.

PACIFIC MONARCH AND BARGE—Bound Nootka, abeam Lennard Island.

GOTHIC STAR—Bound Portland, twenty-eight miles off Columbia River.

CHARLES A. CRAMP—Bellingham for Vancouver, arrived Vancouver 3.00 p.m.

JERSEY CITY—Vancouver for San Pedro, off Cape Flattery.

TOYOKAWA MARU—Yokohama for Vancouver, 607 miles off Estevan at 3 p.m.

TONEGAWA MARU—Miike for Vancouver, 330 miles off Estevan.

TSURUSHIMA MARU—Miike for Seattle, 700 miles off Estevan.

C.N.S. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Sails from Vancouver for Halifax March 12.

CANADIAN MILLER—Due from Halifax, April 18.

CANADIAN SKIRMISHER—Due from Panama, March 17.

CANADIAN RANGER—En route to Halifax.

CANADIAN COASTER—At Vancouver.

CANADIAN FARMER—Due from California, March 13.

CANADIAN OBSERVER—At Vancouver.

CANADIAN ROVER—At Vancouver.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

TO ARRIVE

PACIFIC RELIANCE—From England, March 16.

ARIZONA MARU—From Orient, March 20.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Orient, March 23.

IYO MARU—From Orient, March 22.

MODAVIA—From England, March 24.

PRESIDENT JACKSON—From Orient, March 28.

AORANGI—From Antipodes, March 29.

PACIFIC EXPORTER—From England, March 30.

AFRICA MARU—From Orient, April 1.

TYNDAREUS—From Orient, April 2.

TOKIWA MARU—From Orient, April 6.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—From Orient, April 6.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY—From Orient, April 8.

NIAGARA—From Antipodes, April 30.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

Now effective, the steamer Otter leaves for the Gulf Islands on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7.15 a.m. The steamer Charmer leaves for Vancouver via the Gulf Islands on Tuesdays at 11 a.m.

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3.15 p.m.		4.00 p.m.
5.00 p.m.		6.00 p.m.

DOROTHY ARRIVES FROM CALIFORNIA

Pacific Steamship Co.'s Vessel Brings Seventy-Nine Passengers for City

Following a fairly smooth voyage from San Diego, Los Angeles and San Francisco, the Pacific Steamship Company's coastal liner Dorothy Alexander, Captain G. A. Harris, arrived at Rithet piers at 8.30 o'clock last evening. She left for Seattle at 1 o'clock this morning.

Of her passenger list of 176, seventy-nine left the ship here, a good number boarding the night boat for Vancouver. Included in the list was Mr. F. Leafs, deported from California by immigration authorities. He was turned over to Detective William Stark.

The 130 tons of cargo set down here included oranges, raisins, vegetables, bed springs and two automobile chassis. In addition there were five private automobiles.

Those disembarking here included Mr. Harry Bellas, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Beaumont, Mr. Henry Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black, Miss Gladys Bulger, Dr. J. O. Burris, Captain E. P. and Mrs. Wood, Mr. Charles J. Whittaker, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Trent, Miss Agnes Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Salsbury, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith, Mrs. Rose Rusebacht, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jones and Mr. Charles Gump.

JAPANESE SHIPS TO CARRY PLANES

Naval Officers Are to Receive Instruction in Flying—Youths to Be Enlisted

YOKOHAMA (By Mail).—The flagship Yamashiro, commanded by Admiral N. Taniguchi, and other ships of the Japanese fleet will each carry an airplane beginning April 1. It is designed to give flying lessons to naval officers.

Aeronautical officers have been attached to the naval college to give flying lessons to students there. The Japanese Navy is also about to enlist forty lads between thirteen and sixteen to bring them up as special service flying officers.

COAST CHARTERS

Brand, Norwegian motorship, lumber from San Francisco and North Pacific to Australia.

Cedarbank, British motorship, lumber and general from San Francisco and North Pacific to South Africa.

Fishpool, British steamer, lumber from British Columbia to north of Cape Hatteras or Montreal, March-April loading.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

MARCH

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1929.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
7	6 43	6 07	20	6 19	6 24
8	6 41	6 09	21	6 14	6 26
9	6 39	6 11	22	6 12	6 27
10	6 37	6 12	23	6 10	6 30
11	6 33	6 14	24	6 09	6 31
12	6 44	6 15	25	6 06	6 32
13	6 31	6 15	26	6 04	6 34
14	6 29	6 17	27	6 43	6 35
15	6 27	6 16	28	6 00	6 36
16	6 25	6 16	29	6 30	6 37
17	6 23	6 20	30	6 37	6 38
18	6 20	6 21	31	6 55	6 39
19	6 18	6 23			

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

MARCH

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1929.

Date	Rises	Sets
	(Last Quarter on 17th)	
9	6 26 a.m.	4 16 p.m.
10	6 46 a.m.	3 29 p.m.
11	7 00 a.m.	3 44 p.m.
	(New Moon on 11th)	
12	7 26 a.m.	3 00 p.m.
13	7 45 a.m.	3 19 p.m.
14	6 05 a.m.	10 25 p.m.
15	6 29 a.m.	11 26 p.m.
16	6 00 a.m.	
17	9 29 a.m.	1 19 a.m.
18	10 36 a.m.	6 22 a.m.
	(First Quarter on 18th)	
19	11 34 a.m.	3 27 a.m.
20	12 46 p.m.	3 26 a.m.
21	2 00 p.m.	3 04 a.m.
22	3 25 p.m.	5 44 a.m.
23	6 46 p.m.	6 37 a.m.
24	8 27 p.m.	6 16 a.m.
25	7 00 p.m.	6 34 a.m.
	(Full Moon on 25th)	
26	8 30 p.m.	6 30 a.m.
27	9 31 p.m.	7 00 a.m.
28	10 41 p.m.	7 20 a.m.
29	11 40 p.m.	7 31 a.m.
30		8 20 a.m.
31	0 33 a.m.	8 55 a.m.

Note.—These times are correct to within one or two minutes.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

MARCH

Date	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft
8	6 41	8.2	9 13	7.7	11 17	6.1	16 42	3.3
9	4 20	7.8	6 31	7.3	13 14	6.1	20 19	2.2
10	4 17	7.7	6 42	6.7	12 00	3.1	20 51	3.6
11	4 16	7.8	10 19	3.1	14 02	7.6	21 24	2.6
12	4 22	7.7	9 51	2.2	16 02	7.6	21 56	3.7
13	4 32	7.7	10 36	4.6	16 12	7.2	22 23	4.1
14	4 46	7.8	11 00	3.7	17 39	6.6	22 57	3.3
15	6 02	9.7	12 34	2.3	16 41	3.6	23 16	3.2
16	6 19	9.6	13 23	3.4				
17	3 41	9.7	14 23	3.1				
18	3 00	9.6	15 20	1.9				
19	6 42	8.6	16 16	1.7				
20	7 56	8.7	17 00	1.6				
21	8 16	8.6	6 36	7.6	9 46	3.2	16 23	1.3
22	3 19	8.1	7 22	7.2	13 15	8.6	16 14	3.2
23	3 16	8.6	9 01	2.4	13 30	7.8	16 53	3.7
24	3 31	7.6	9 00	5.6	13 37	7.6	00 27	3.4
25	2 29	7.0	3 16	4.7	14 42	7.2	21 10	4.5
26	3 27	7.6	9 30	6.1	16 53	7.1	21 46	6.3
27	6 26	7.3	10 22	3.6	17 16	6.7	22 13	6.7
28	3 52	8.1	11 34	2.2	16 16	6.6	22 20	8.3
29	4 00	8.1	12 11	3.6				
30	4 29	8.6	12 00	2.6				
31	4 00	8.2	12 41	3.6				

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide add 18.6 feet to the height of high water as given above.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Pilots in Province All Will Have to Pass Board Examination

OTTAWA, March 7.—A board will be appointed to examine pilots operating or seeking a licence to operate in British Columbia waters, similar to the one which conducts examinations of pilots along the St. Lawrence River.

This was announced at the Department of Marine and Fisheries today, based on a recommendation of the Royal Commission which investigated the pilotage in British Columbia waters. It is hoped to get the board appointed in time to complete examinations by April 1.

The present system in vogue on the Fraser River will be continued there, with certain new by-laws for obsolete ones.

The recommendation of the commission with respect to the bringing into existence of the pilotage district of British Columbia will be carried out. The first of the recommendations with respect to general working by-laws was accepted by the Department, but the portion referring to book rates has been left in abeyance. The recommendation that the Department appoint and pay for a superintendent only, has been accepted.

The pooling of earnings of pilots has not been dealt with, and the recommendation for a pension fund is considered matter for the pilots themselves.

Is Elected President Of Railway Group

MR. LOUIS YAGER

CHICAGO, March 7.—Louis Yager, of St. Paul, Minn., assistant chief engineer of the Northern Pacific Railway Company, today was elected president of the American Railway Engineering Association. The election took place at the thirtieth annual convention of the association, the membership of which approximates 3,000 engineering, executive and operating officials representative of all the railroads in the United States and Canada. Mr. Yager in the last year has been first vice-president.

TO INSPECT ALL JAPANESE PLANES

TOKIO, March 7.—All passenger airplanes used on the Tokio-Dairen run, which is to be opened to the public on April 1, will be minutely examined by the Imperial Marine Affairs Association before being placed in service and insured by it. The regulations for these planes and their maintenance will be the same as those used on European airways.

The Canadian humorist, Stephen Leacock, tells a story of a man whose cellar was searched by a prohibition enforcement officer recently.

"There are hundreds of empty whisky bottles in your cellar," the officer said. "How did they get there?"

"Blowed if I know," said the owner of the cellar, laughing heartily. "Blowed if I know, officer. I never bought an empty whisky bottle in my life."

Coastal Sailings Out of B.C. Ports

FOR VANCOUVER

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2.15 p.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

FROM VANCOUVER

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 3 p.m.

FOR SEATTLE

Iroquois leaves daily at 10.15 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4.30 p.m.

FROM SEATTLE

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B.C. Coast Service. From Victoria to Port Alice and all West Coast ports, leaving Victoria on 1st, 11th and 21st of month.

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Princess Elaine leaves Nanaimo at 7 and 3.15; leaves Vancouver at 10 a.m. and 1.30 p.m. daily, except Sunday. Every Sunday leave Vancouver 10 a.m., leave Nanaimo 3 p.m.

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Auto and passenger ferry Iroquois sails daily for Port Angeles at 10.15 a.m. Leaves Port Angeles at 7.00 a.m.

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Union Steamships. Every Thursday at 7 p.m. and every Friday at 9 a.m., from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

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C.P.R. steamer Charmer sails from Vancouver midnight on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

ALASKA AND NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Princess Mary leaves Vancouver 8 p.m., March 7, 18 and 28.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

Steamer Otter leaves Victoria for Gulf Islands at 7.15 a.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Steamer Charmer leaves Victoria for Vancouver, via Gulf Islands, at 11 a.m. on Tuesdays.

VESTRIS SISTER SHIP IS ASHORE

Van Dyck Runs Aground Off New York With 275 Passengers From Buenos Aires

NEW YORK, March 7.—The Lamport & Holt liner Van Dyck, sister ship to the ill-fated Vestris, went aground off Governor's Island in the upper bay today as she battled a gale on her way to her pier from Buenos Aires.

Wrecking tugs went to the assistance of the 15,000-ton liner. She was in no danger as she stuck fast in the mud of the easterly side of the island. She had 275 passengers aboard.

B.C. Shippers to Have More Packing Houses

VERNON, B.C., March 7.—British Columbia Shippers, Limited, in which the British firm, J. & H. Goodwin, Limited, has a financial interest, is extending the scope of its operations. Arrangements have been made to open fruit-packing houses in Kelowna and Penticton this year. Affiliations have been secured with concerns at Summerland, Salmon Arm and Kamloops. Domestic shipments will be sold through Sales Service and the export through J. & H. Goodwin, Limited.

"Mose, dey is one preachah in dis town dat's pow'ful angry at me tonight."

"How come?"

"Ah done hired him to p'fawn de obsequies at mah weddin', an' Ah didn't show up."—Life.

CUTTERS TO AID SEAL MIGRATION

Snohomish Will Be First Out on April 5 to Move Northward With Big Herds

SEATTLE, March 7.—Captain John O. Berry, commander of the Northwest division of the coast-guard service, has received orders affecting five cutters slated to protect the annual migration of the fur seal herds to the Pribilof Islands.

According to the orders, the Chelan, with Captain Claude S. Cochran, fleet commander of the Bering Sea patrol, sails from Seattle April 15. On the same date the Unalga will take up position off Dixons Entrance and cover the migration from there north. The Snohomish sails April 5 from the Columbia River and will move northward with the seals from that point.

These earlier cutters will be followed by the Haida from Seattle June 20, and the Northland, under the direction of the California division, from San Francisco, May 6. The Northland touches at Seattle on her way to the Arctic, with her next stop listed as Point Barrow, the farthest point of the American Continent.

CANADIAN CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Dr. G. A. B. Hall Will Preside Over Nanaimo Branch for Coming Year

NANAIMO, March 7.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Club of Nanaimo, was held in the Board of Trade rooms Tuesday evening, and elected officers for the ensuing year. J. M. Rudd, retiring president, addressed the meeting, and was followed by a lengthy and satisfactory report by the literary secretary, Dr. Clemens, touching the activities of the club during the past year. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr. G. A. B. Hall; vice-president, Dr. Clemens; secretary-treasurer, V. Fossitt; board of directors, J. M. Rudd (retiring president), V. B. Harrison, J. P. Newman, Harvey Murphy, J. W. Coburn, John Shaw, W. W. R. Mitchell and Dr. O. Brown.

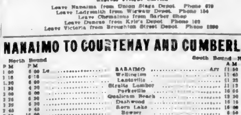
An old maid went to confession and told the priest that she had been ardently kissed. "When did it happen?" said the priest gently.

"Twenty years ago," the old maid told him.

"Have you ever confessed this before?"

"Many times, father," sighed the penitent, "but I just love to talk about it!"

VANCOUVER ISLAND COACH LINES LIMITED



VICTORIA DUNCAN LADYSMITH NANAIMO

Winter Schedule, Effective November 1, 1928

North Bound—Read Down A.M.	P.M.	P.M.		South Bound—Read Up A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
*8 00	*2 00	10 15 Lv.	VICTORIA Arr.	11 40	6 15	11.30
8 11	2 11		Brentwood	11 15	4 40	
10 00	4 00	7 30	Mill Bay	10 15	3 40	10 11
10 15	4 15	7 40	Cobble Hill	10 00	3 30	10 00
10 25	4 25	8 00	Cowichan Bay	9 00	3 15	9 50
10 40	4 40	8 15	Duncan	9 30	3 00	9 30
11 00	5 00	8 40	Westholme	9 00	2 30	9 01
11 30	5 00	8 53	Chemainus	9 00	2 00	9 00
11 45	5 42	9 25	Ladysmith	8 30	2 00	8 31
12 15	6 15	10 00 Arr.	NANAIMO Lv.	*8 00	*1 15	8 00

*Via Mill Bay ferry. ‡If condition of Malahat permits of operation.

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Leave Nanaimo from Union Stage Depot. Phone 678

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NANAIMO TO COURTENAY AND CUMBERLAND

North Bound P.M.	P.M.		South Bound—Read Up A.M.	P.M.
1 00	6 00 Lv.	NANAIMO Arr.	11 50	1 00
1 15	6 15	Wellington	11 40	10 40
1 30	6 00	Lantzville	11 25	12 00
1 30	4 30	Straits Lumber	11 15	12 20
2 00	6 00	Parksville	10 55	11 55
2 25	6 30	Qualicum Beach	10 30	11 45
2 25	6 30	Dashwood	10 15	11 M
2 40	9 40	Bowser Lake	10 00	11 12
2 00	10 00	Bowser	6 50	11 01
2 30	10 00	Robert Dollar	6 M	10 M
2 30	10 00	Fanny Bay	9 00	10 40
2 30	10 M	Union Bay	6 40	10 35
4 15	11 00	Royston	6 20	10 12
4 15	11 15	Courtenay	3 15	10 00
4 35	11 00 Arr.	CUMBERLAND Lv.	6 00	6 30

CAMPBELL RIVER STAGE

Leaving Nanaimo daily at 1 P.M. Leaving Campbell River at 3.40 A.M. daily for Nanaimo.

NANAIMO TO PORT ALBERNI

North Bound P.M.	P.M.		South Bound—Read Up Noon	P.M.
1 00	6 00 Lv.	NANAIMO Arr.	12 00	6 00
P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.
1 15	3 15	Wellington	11 45	4 44
1 00	6 00	Lantzville	11 00	4 30
1 00	6 25	Straits Lumber	11 00	4 25
1 40	6 M	Arlington Hotel	11 00	4 10
1 40	6 40	Craig's	11 10	4 00
2 00	3 00	Parksville	10 00	3 46
2 12	6 15	Errington Road	10 40	3 40
2 15	9 15	Coombs	10 30	3 20
2 00	9 00	Hilliers	10 30	2 30
2 40	9 40	Cameron Lake	10 00	2 00
3 45	10 01	Alberni	9 15	2 15
3 00	11 00 Arr.	PORT ALBERNI Lv.	9 00	2 00

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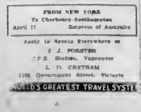

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LANGFORD TENNIS OFFICERS ELECTED

Mr. E. Le Quesne Chosen as New President — Reports Show Successful Year

LANGFORD, March 7.—The annual meeting of the Lawn Tennis Club was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. G. Cooney. The secretary-treasurer's report, including the financial statement, was considered very encouraging. The officers of the past year were thanked for their successful year's work, and an equally energetic executive was elected to carry on, with the help of an entertainment committee, to devise ways and means of adding to the funds, to pay off the debt of the club and to help with the social side by means of teas, dances, etc. The resignation of Mr. J. Stuart Yates as president was accepted with regret, and he was unanimously elected honorary president. The result of the election follows. Hon president, Mr. J. Stuart Yates, president, Mr. E. Le Quesne; vice-president, Mr. A. F. Bayles; secretary-treasurer, Mr. G. Cooney (re-elected); executive committee, Mrs. Bayles and Messrs. S Turner and R. Pennington; social and entertainment committee, Mrs. A. F. Bayles, Mrs. G Cooney and Mr. S. Turner; trustees of funds, Messrs. J S. Yates, E. Le Quesne, A. F. Bayles and S. Turner. A motion was made by Mr. R. Pennington, and carried by the meeting, that a captain be elected to take charge of games and arrange matches. This election was laid over until a future meeting to get a representative vote from all of the members. Teas will be served at the courts during the season, a nominal charge to be made. The public is invited to attend the matches. At the conclusion of the meeting tea was served by the hostess, Mrs. Cooney.

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Vancouver Island

HATCHERY NOW TAKING EGGS

OPERATIONS DELAYED BY COLD WEATHER AT LAKE COWICHAN

Steelhead Eggs in Hand Are 150,000 —Now Engaged in Fishing for Cutthroats

LAKE COWICHAN, March 7.—As a result of a month's fishing on the river, the troughs at the Dominion Hatchery have 150,000 steelhead eggs.

The very cold weather in February delayed fishing operations for a few days as the nets froze almost as soon as they were taken from the water. The Spring salmon fry will also be later in being liberated on account of the cold snap, as their growth was retarded, the fish lying almost dormant, but it is known that cold weather usually produces healthier and hardier fish. The Spring salmon fry will probably be set out about May.

With the exception of Mr. Castley, the superintendent, and Mr Carrick, the staff of the Dominion hatchery is fishing for cutthroat eggs at the mouths of Sutton and Nixon Creeks at the head of the Big Lake. An exceptionally good catch was made in a week from these two creeks, 48,000 eggs being brought down by the hatchery launch.

On March 1 fishing opened for sportsmen, when some very fair catches of rainbow trout were made. There are lots of trout in the river and it is thought that with the advent of warmer days fishing will become unusually good.

MUST FINANCE OWN CANOE TRIP

Courtenay Council Turns Down Request From Ambitious Paddler —Fire Officers Accepted

COURTENAY, March 7.—Meeting in regular session on Monday night, the City Council, with Mayor Pearse in the chair, was fully represented. A number of letters were dealt with among which was a communication from Mr. George I. Warren, of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau inviting the city to take advertising space in a publication being prepared. Other publicity arrangements having been considered, the letter was ordered to be filed.

Mr. Heisterman, of Victoria, wrote asking permission to redeem fifteen city lots which had fallen to the city in lieu of taxes. The applicant was granted to the fifteenth of the month in which to redeem the property.

There was also a letter from Mr. Paul Paquin, who contemplates making a canoe trip from Vancouver to Halifax, inviting the city to subscribe to this undertaking, but the city fathers apparently thought Mr Paquin had better paddle his own canoe, as the letter was ordered received and filed.

In asking for a vote of $1,000 with which to carry on the public works department until such time as the estimates are in for the year, Alderman Brown intimated that his department would require some $11,540 for the current year. He reported that thirty-eight loads of gravel had been hauled by the city truck on to the public school playground, which had decidedly improved the conditions there. The truck had also hauled 126 loads of gravel for repairing city streets. He suggested that a plan of the city drains be provided and after some discussion it was decided to have such a plan drawn up.

Alderman Hall reported for the water committee. The source of supply had been inspected and now that the frost was out of the ground they were meeting with less expense.

Aldermen Fielder and Wallis reported for the sanitary and better housing committees, respectively. Officers of the fire department elected at a recent meeting were accepted as follows: Fire chief, John Thomson; deputy chief, Percy Booth; captain, No. 1 company, William Leighton; No. 2 company, M. Damonte, secretary, H. S. Baker.

BRANCH OF LEGION MEETS AT LANGFORD

Five New Members Secured During Month—Joint Entertainment to Be Staged

LANGFORD, March 7.—The general meeting of the Prince Edward Branch, No. 61, Canadian Legion, was held on Monday evening at the branch clubhouse, Island Highway. There was a large attendance of members, Comrade A. G. Mackie, D.C.M., being in the chair.

The chairman of the membership committee reported that no less than five new members had been secured during the past month, these being Comrades Edwards, Johnson, Drew, Bowden and McCreight. In his report he stated that it was very gratifying to know that the work which the branch was doing, not only for its members in need of help but also among the community, especially the junior element, was being appreciated. He also suggested the probability of his being able to report a further increase in membership before the next general meeting.

After the chairman and the meeting had vociferously extended their greetings to the new members, the chairman of the ways and means committee made his report. This committee is very active, its chairman stated, and he drew the meeting's attention to the fact that on Friday next the branch was cooperating with another branch for the first time in its history in staging a joint entertainment, when the Sooke and Prince Edward branches will present at the Colwood Hall a short but first class concert, organized community singing, to be followed by the well-known play by W. W. Jacobs, "The Monkey's Paw." He also mentioned that all arrangements for the dance at Colwood on March 15 had been perfected.

After the general business of the branch had been concluded, and discussion of various items, such as preliminary arrangements for the formation of junior auxiliaries, certain alterations of by-laws, etc., taken place, the meeting adjourned with the National Anthem. Refreshments were very kindly served by the Women's Auxiliary of the branch.

The monthly general meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Prince Edward Branch, Canadian Legion, was held on Monday evening in the annex of the branch clubhouse. The president, Mrs. Pennington, was in the chair, there being a very fair attendance of members. The auxiliary welcomed a new member, Mrs. Johnson. Arrangements were made for co-operating with the men's branch in the entertainments which they are putting on during the next two weeks. After the general business of the auxiliary had been concluded, including the unanimous election of Mrs. Saltmarsh to the executive committee, the meeting adjourned. Refreshments were then served by the auxiliary, both to themselves and to the men's branch.

PARK BY-LAW IS INTRODUCED

City Council Meeting at Courtenay Deals With Lewis Park Regulation

COURTENAY, March 7. — The parks committee introduced a by-law at the City Council meeting on Monday night to regulate and maintain the Lewis Park. The measure which received its first and second reading, would prohibit defacing of any trees, shooting, serving refreshments and advertising in any way; but the agreement with the Agricultural Society, which has the use of the park during certain days in the year, will be provided for.

The matter of providing for a permanent profile of the street level on Union Street was introduced by the new chairman of the works committee, who said that buildings of a permanent nature would doubtless be undertaken in the near future and that the establishment of a profile would save future expense. The mayor explained that this matter was a hardy annual, and Alderman Fielder was under the impression that the city had already paid for two profiles. The matter was referred to the works committee, who can engage the services of a surveyor if necessary.

A by-law to amend the city poolroom by-law and to make it conform to the Provincial regulations governing such places was introduced by Alderman Macintyre. This proposed measure also received its first and second reading.

Permission was received from the Canadian Collieries to make use of the company's gravel pit on the Cumberland Road, and a letter of thanks was addressed to the manager of the collieries.

The council discussed the city's financial statement as received from Mr. Frank Porter, the auditor, until a late hour, when it went into a committee of the whole to consider the matter of supplying water to the navy authorities at the Comox Spit.

Mrs. Rosetta Wilson Dies at Hillbank

DUNCAN, March 7.—The death occurred on Tuesday at the home of her son, Mr Morris Wilson, of Hillbank, of Mrs. Rosetta Wilson, a native of Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk, England, where she was born on November 27, 1853. Following the death of her husband sixteen years ago, Mrs. Wilson took up her residence in Victoria, where she resided until 1919, when she moved to Hillbank. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. H. Howland, of Santiago, Cal., and five sons, Ronald, of Santiago; George, in New Zealand; Cecil, of Calgary; Charles, of Kootenay, and Morris, of Hillbank. The funeral will take place from the Brockway Funeral Parlors on Saturday to St. Mary's, Somenos, Rev. A. Bischlager conducting the funeral service.

Staunch Captain: "Now then, my hearties, fight like heroes till your powder's gone—then run! On account of this rheumatism in my leg I'll have to start now."—Brown Jug

SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

The World's Greatest Authority

HAND No. 286

	North ♠ 9 8 2 ♡ 9 7 2 ♢ J 7 ♣ J 10 6 5 2	
West ♠ K 7 5 3 ♡ A K 6 4 ♢ K 6 4 2 ♣ 3		East ♠ Q J 6 ♡ J 10 6 5 ♢ 10 8 3 ♣ A 6 4
	South ♠ A 10 4 ♡ Q 3 ♢ A Q 9 3 ♣ K Q 9 7	

South is the dealer. What is the proper bidding and play?

In the next issue Mr Whitehead will explain the salient points in the bidding and play of the above hand. Fill out your own chart and compare it with his method.

These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy," i.e., as though all four hands were exposed.

Note—In recording the Auction, or the play, use "S" for Spades, "H" for Hearts, "D" for Diamonds, and "C" for Clubs. Use "NT" for No Trump, "DBL" for double, "REDBL" for redouble.

THE PLAY

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N S	Won by E W
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
11						
12						
13						
Total Tricks Won						

(Bracket the card led to each trick)

Declarer Opponents

Point Score

Honor Score

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids

Final Bid Played by

Yesterday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

HAND No. 285

S ♠A 8 ♡A 6 4 2 ♢9 7 3 ♣A K 4 2
W ♠5 4 ♡Q J 10 8 5 3 ♢Q ♣10 8 6 6
N ♠K J 9 6 2 ♡K ♢A J 8 6 4 ♣7 3
E ♠Q 10 7 3 ♡7 5 ♢K 10 5 2 ♣Q J 5

The Correct Bidding and Play

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids
1NT	Pass	2S	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Final Bid 2S Played by North

Salient Points of the Bidding

Suit Take-Out of No Trump

South with Aces in three suits and the fourth suit of three cards bids No Trump originally and North because of his singleton Heart takes out with two Spades, which concludes the bidding.

THE PLAY

(Bracketed card shows lead to each trick)

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N S	Won by E W
1	D3	DQ	DA	(D2)	1	
2	D7	H8	(DJ)	D10		1
3	D9	HA	D6	(DK)		1
4	S8	H9	D8	(D5)	1	
5	(H2)	HJ	HK	H5	1	
6	CK	C6	(C3)	C5	1	
7	(CA)	C8	C7	CJ	1	
8	(HA)	H3	DJ	H7	1	
9	(CQ)	C9	S2	CQ	1	
10	SA	S4	(S6)	S3	1	
11	(S4)	C10	S9	S10		1
12	H4	S5	S5	(SQ)	1	
13	H6	HQ	(SJ)	S7	1	
Total Tricks Won					10	3

	Declarer	Opponents
Point Score	36	
Honor Score	30	

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Victoria, B.C., March 7th, 1929.

Mr. George Harris, Herbalist, Calgary, Alta.

Dear Sir:—

For the past four years I have been a great sufferer of rheumatoid arthritis. I have doctored and tried everything possible but seemed to be getting worse instead of better. I was practically helpless and unable to dress myself; my condition got so low that I went down to 140 lbs. I took various trips to California also different hot springs, and spent thousands of dollars on my case.

I had got in the discouraged stage when a friend of mine in Calgary heard of my condition and strongly advised me to try Harris's Wonder Health Restorer. I have taken in all about ten bottles and the results have been wonderful, having gained twenty-five pounds in weight and feel like a new man, and would strongly advise any sufferers to give this wonderful remedy a trial.

I have lived in Victoria for the past thirty-five years and well known to most of the residents. I will be glad to tell any sufferer of my case.

You may use this letter as you see fit.

Yours truly,

ARCHIE M. AITKEN.

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MARGARET T. McKENZIE

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Jarvis Ramsey, another Vancouver old-timer, says:

"I have suffered for twenty-five years from stomach and liver trouble. I have doctored from Toronto to Vancouver and taken enough medicine to start a drugstore. I am glad to say the short time I have been taking Harris's Wonder Health Restorer it has done wonders for me, and I can vouch for it doing wonders for many of my friends."

Address: 4119 Knight Road, Vancouver.

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Mr. Geo. Harris, Herbalist, Calgary.

Dear Sir:—While living in Calgary I got my system run down and developed a bad attack of rheumatism; the suffering was terrible in my hip joints and my legs were all swollen. I could not walk and I used to think I was going to be a cripple for life.

A friend told me of your wonderful medicine and I decided to try it, and I am thankful to say after the fourth bottle I was quite recovered.

I find it a wonderful tonic and always keep it in the house as a Spring medicine, and I will be glad to recommend it to any sufferer as I feel so grateful for what it done for me.

Yours very truly,

MARTHA WOODWARD.

Mr. A. S. McLellan, Assistant Manager, Royal Bank, Main Branch, Calgary, writes:

Dear Mr. Harris,—During last Winter I was a great sufferer from neuritis in my arm and hands. Your Wonder Health Restorer was recommended to me by one of my friends, a sufferer from rheumatism. After a three months' trial I had greatly improved, and I am glad to say the neuritis had gone. I still continue to take it as I find that it is a wonderful tonic. Several of the office staff are now taking it after seeing what it done for me, for I can highly recommend Harris's Wonder Health Restorer to anyone suffering as I did from neuritis.

Yours truly,

A. S. McLELLAN

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Mrs. Millar, another Vancouver lady, writes:—

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Feb. 1st, 1929

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I took your herbal remedy for about six months, and it surely has done wonders for me. It built up my whole system and allowed me a much more liberal diet, therefore I can strongly recommend it to any sufferers of this trouble.

Yours truly,

P. J. OAZELT

108 17th Ave. East, Calgary, Alta.

Rev. Thomas Bingham, prominent Baptist minister, 210 East Street, London, Ont., writes:

"I was a great sufferer with my stomach. I had dizzy spells and sickness which left me in a very rundown condition. After taking Harris's Wonder Health Restorer for some months my congregation noticed the change in me, for I gained from 145 lbs. to 193, which, I think, is wonderful for a man of my age."

Mrs. Geo. Goddard, a resident of Vancouver for twenty-two years, says:

"I suffered with stomach trouble over three years. I just kept getting worse until I dreaded to go to the table to eat. My doctor said he thought I had cancer and advised an operation. I decided to try your wonderful remedy, and I have only taken one bottle, and it is wonderful the change it made in me. I can now eat anything and feel a different person."

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Mrs. Frederick Stockdill, a well-known Vancouver lady, says:

"I suffered for eight years with rheumatoid arthritis. My hands and knees were all out of shape. I had to be washed and dressed and was almost as helpless as a baby. Harris's Wonder Health Restorer made such a marvelous change in me my friends hardly knew me. I am out every day now and will be glad to tell anyone of my wonderful recovery."

MRS. FREDERICK STOCKDILL.

1472 W. Thirteenth Avenue, Vancouver. Phone Bay 3370L.

DAUGHTER OF PROMINENT VANCOUVER MAN WRITES WONDERFUL STATEMENT

151 West 13th Ave., Vancouver, B.C. Phone Fairmont 3279. January 20, 1929.

Mr. Geo. Harris, Herbalist.

Dear Sir:—Five years ago, when fifteen years old and within the last two days of my final examinations in high school, my schoolmate suddenly developed smallpox. Hence I was advised by our school principal it would be compulsory for me to be vaccinated, or else leave the school for eighteen days.

My father, although having a strong objection to vaccination, rather than have me miss my examinations reluctantly consented, and the horrible vaccine was administered, without taking into consideration the dangerous state of my blood system to which all young girls are subject. Following this, my condition became alarming, and I been suffered great pain for four and a half years, and in addition lost all my hair, which made it impossible for me to mix in company, and of course deprived me of either continuing my studies or going to business, which I could not do owing to the poor condition of my health.

Hundreds of dollars have been spent on me in medicines and doctors to bring back my health and stimulate the growth of my hair, and failed to even relieve me. My father, as a last resource, asked me to try Harris's Wonder Health Restorer, which thank God, I did, and today, after only eight bottles, I am in splendid health again and my hair grows so quickly and strongly from the improved condition of my blood I have to visit the barber's every two weeks, which I think is wonderful.

I will be only too glad personally to let any discouraged sufferer know my case, and from the bottom of my heart I feel it a debt of gratitude, out only for what the medicine has done for me, but the blessing it has been for my parents also.

Very sincerely yours,

MABEL DUNCAN

SUFFERED ALL HER LIFE WITH TERRIBLE ASTHMA

Mr. Geo. Harris, Herbalist, Calgary.

Dear Sir.—From infancy my daughter, who is fifteen years of age, has been a sufferer of asthma. She would take such terrible spells she would be in bed weeks at a time, which left her in a very weak and rundown condition.

We tried many different remedies, but nothing seemed to help her. I heard of Harris's Wonder Health Restorer and the results have been wonderful. In fact, she has not had an attack of asthma since taking the second bottle. She now sleeps well, is gaining on weight steadily and is feeling so much better in every way. I will only be too glad to tell any sufferer of my daughter's case.

Yours sincerely,

MRS. S. A. COOKE

784 Thurlow Street, Vancouver, B.C. Phone Douglas 1302T.

Harry B. Duncan, Chief Clerk, C.P.R. Freight Office, says:

I have suffered with asthma since infancy, and tried many doctors and hospital treatments. I can say without fear of contradiction that with Harris's Wonder Health Restorer I have gained fifty-three pounds, and been brought back to perfect health, and will be glad to tell any sufferer of my case.

HARRY B. DUNCAN

151 W. Thirteenth Avenue, Vancouver. Fair 3279.

Thomas Marr, another Vancouver resident, says:

"I suffered for twenty years with asthma, and finally had to give up my business as a baker, but thanks to Harris's Wonder Health Restorer, it put me on my feet again and back to work when all else failed."

THOMAS MARR

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Cowichan Health Centre

DUNCAN, March 7.—The Cowichan Health Centre report for the month of February shows:

Districts visited — Duncan, Koksilah, Chemainus, Westholme, Crofton, Cowichan Station, Bench, Cobble Hill, Mill Bay, Sylvania, Shawnigan, Glenora, Cowichan Lake, Sahtlam, Mayo and Bamberton. Nurses on duty, three.

Nursing service included, bedside nursing visits, 131, child welfare visits, 107, other welfare visits, 67, cooperative visits, 30; home school visits, 133; miscellaneous visits, 16; total visits, 486.

Visitors to the health centre for treatment or advice, 13; consultations on the telephone with doctors and others, 61; transportations, 20.

Details of school service were: School days in the month, 20; visits to schools, 95; children inspected, 920; children weighed, 157; class health talks given, 31; minor treatments, 48, home school visits, 133, excluded from school, 11; examined by school medical officer, 83.

The regular monthly baby clinic was held in the health centre on February 20, Dr. Garner being in charge and eight persons present.

Ploughing Entries Close Tomorrow in S. Saanich Contest

KEATING, March 7.—The South Saanich Farmers' Institute is holding a ploughing competition on March 30. The match will be divided into three classes: men over thirty, men over twenty and boys under twenty. All entries must be made to Mr. George Spencer,

Vitomen Golden Cream Porridge

Watch that boy of yours as he sits down to breakfast before a big plateful of Vitamen Golden Cream Porridge. His expression changes as he dips in his spoon and takes a mouthful of cereal and cream, sprinkled with sugar. "Say, mother, you're some cook!" he'll tell you. It has all the wheaty flavor of plump ripe wheat kernels . . . smooth richness of rice . . . appetizing goodness of corn. The boy knows what's good to eat. He likes this porridge . . . lots of it. Give him all he wants. Vitomen Cereal Ltd., Vancouver, B.C.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

RALLY CLOSES DULL SESSION; TRADING LIGHT

Marked Reduction in Volume of Sales Indicates Withdrawal of Many Traders From Market

PRICES FIRMER IN MARKET FOR BONDS

NEW YORK, March 7.—Frequent shifts of speculative sentiment characterized today's stock market which closed with an outburst of strength in the face of another flurry in call money from 10 to 12 per cent. Sales showed a marked reduction in volume, indicating that many traders, large and small, apparently have withdrawn from the market until the credit stringency has passed.

Total sales of 3,633,460 shares were among the smallest of any full session this year.

Radio issues were the features of today's market. The old stock, which broke 18 points yesterday, rallied 37 today to 407, or just 6 1-2 points below the year's high, while the new stock showed a net gain of 7 3-4 at 81 3-4.

Adams Express, which broke 45 points yesterday on one sale, rebounded 25 points on a turnover of less than 1,000 shares. Western Union was marked up more than 10 points to a new high record at 213 3-8, but lost part of its gain. Colorado Fuel advanced 5 points to a new high at 77 3-4.

Johns-Manville broke 11 points to 182 1-2 on selling presumably influenced by the death of Theodore F. Marsels, head of the company, but recovered more than half its losses.

United States Steel common rallied from a low of 181 5-8 to 186 3-4, and closed at 184 1-4, up 1 3-4 net.

Anaconda closed 2 1-2 points higher at 158 1-2 after having sold down to 154 1-2.

High money rates caused a moderate recession in the leading foreign exchanges, with the Canadian dollar and the Spanish peseta sinking to new levels for the year. Sterling cables were down to 4 85 1-8.

With the exception of the United States Government obligations, which nearly all sank to new low price levels for the year, prices in the bond market today were firmer and trading was on a slightly broader scale. Utilities as a group were heavy.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 7.—Foreign exchanges easy:

France—3 90⅛, cables 3 90⅛
Italy—5 23⅛, cables 5 23⅛
Belgium—13 87
Germany—23 69⅛
Norway—26 66
Sweden—26 69⅛
Denmark—26 48
Switzerland—19 22⅛
Spain—14 72
Greece—1 29
Poland—11 21
Czechoslovakia—2 96⅛
Jugoslavia—1 76
Austria—14 06
Rumania—60
Argentina—42 10
Brazil—11 90
Tokio—44 52
Shanghai—62 00
Montreal—98 35 15-16

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 7.—Demand 484 11-16; cables 485⅛; sixty-day bills on banks 480⅝

AT VICTORIA

Buying 481, selling 486

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem	288	284	286
Amerada Corpn.	30-4	30-4	30-4
Am. Can	118-1	115-1	117-4
Am Car & Fdy	99-6	98-6	99-6
Am For Power	109-4	106-2	109-1
Am Locomotive	106-1	106-1	106-1
Am Smelters	112-7	112-2	112-2
Am. Steel Fdy	69 2	67	67-2
Am Sugar	81-4	81	81
Am Sum Tob	32-6	32-6	32-6
Am Tel & Tel	213-7	210 4	213 7
Am Tobacco	173	175	173
Am Tobacco B	175	175	175
Am Woolens	26	25	25
Anaconda	159 2	154-4	158-2
Armour A	14 7	14 3	14-7
Ass'd Dry Goods	64	62	63-4
Atlantic Gulf	40 2	40-2	40-2
Atlantic Refinery	55-6	54-2	55-4
Atchison	200-3	200-3	200-2
Auburn Motors	170	166-2	168-2
Baltimore & Ohio	132	130 4	131 6
Bendix & Av'tion	96-2	94 2	96-2
Barnsdall "A"	39	38-4	38
Bethlehem Steel	109 4	96 1	109
Brooklyn Manhat	75-7	73	75-6
California Packing	76-1	75-1	75-1
Calumet & Ariz	134-7	132-2	134-2
Calumet & Hecla	56 5	55-2	56-2
Can Dry Ginger Ale	82 6	81	82-6
Canadian Pacific	240	240 7	247
Cerro De Pasco	112-2	110	112
Certainteed Prod	23-2	22-2	22-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	221	220	221
Chic Gt Western	21-2	20	20
Chic, Mil & St P	29 7	29-6	29-7
Chic & Northwest	89-6	89-2	89-2
Chic, R I & Pac	132 3	132 2	132-2
Chrysler Motor	109-6	105 4	109 2
Coca Cola	122	121-1	121 4
Congoleum-Nairn	22-4	21-2	21-4
Colo Fuel & Iron	77-7	72-6	77-6
Columbia Gas	145	144-4	144-4
Col Graph'one Co.	74-1	71	73-2
Cons Gas	109-6	108 4	109-1
Cont. Motor	22-4	22	22-4
Corn Products	85 1	84 4	85-1
Crucible Steel	97-3	97 3	97-2
Curtiss Aero	166	134 2	166
Davison Chemical	63	61-7	62-2
Dea Nia Gnd	74	74	74
Dupont Powder	181	177	181
Eastman Kodak	181-4	181 1	181-4
Elec Power	61-3	60	61-2
Elec Storage Batt	85-6	85-2	85-6
Eng Pub Svc	52-7	51-4	52-3
Erie	76-1	72 3	76
Famous Players	64 3	62-2	64-3
Foundation Co	43	52	60
Fox Film "A"	21-2	20	21-2
Fleischmann Co	72 3	72	72-2
Freeport Texas	45-4	44-2	45-4
Gabriel Snubbers	26 4	26 4	26-4
General Am. Tank	91-7	90 0	90 0
General Asphalt	65	67	68
General Electric	91	70 2	90-1
General Ry Signal	105 2	104	105
Gold Dust	71-6	69 4	70-2
Goodrich Rubber	82	81 5	84-4
Graham-Paige	47-2	46 2	47 3
Granby	90-4	90	90 1
Great North Ore	32-7	31-1	32-3
Great North pfd	111 2	111 2	111-2
Gt. West Sugar	37 2	37 2	37 2
Greene Can., ex-div	177 7	175 0	176
Gulf States Steel	77	76-2	77
Hahn Dept Store	45	44-1	44 7
Houston Oil	81-6	81	81 6
Howe Sound	75	72 2	74 2
Hudson Motor	90	87 1	89-4
Hupp Motors	71 6	70	71 3
Illinois Central	144-2	144 2	144-2
Inspiration	61-6	58 1	61 3
Int Cement	92 4	97	93 4
Int Comb Eng	85 7	81 6	85 4
Int Harvester	106-2	105	106 2
Int Match pfd	90 2	90	90 1
Int Paper	74	74	74
Int Pete	61 6	51 6	51 6
Int. Nickel	92-7	90-6	92-2
Int. Tel & Tel	210	207-6	210
Johns Manville	191	185 7	186 6
Kan City South	81-4	81 4	81 4
Kelvinator	16	15	15
Kennecott Copper	35	61 6	84
Kolster Radio	31 7	30 7	31 4
Lehigh Valley	99	95	91
Louis & Nash	148	148	148
Mack Truck	107 5	105 2	106 7
Marland Oil	37-7	37 2	37-4
Marlin Rockwell	75	77 1	75
Maytag Co	22 4	22	22
Mid Cont'nl Pete	31 5	31 5	31 5
Miss Pacific	54 2	52-2	48 1
Miss Pacific pfd	125-7	123-6	124-5
Montgomery Ward	130	125 4	129 5
Mt Products	20 6	20 5	20 5
Nash Motors	107 6	106-4	107-2
National Biscuit	179	179	179
Natl Cash Reg	127-6	122	126 7
Natl Dairy Prod	131 2	129 3	130 1
Natl Power & Light	56-7	55-1	56-6
N.Y. Air Brake	44	46 7	46
Norfolk & West.	195-6	192	195
North American	109 1	109	107-2
Northern Pacific	111 4	109 7	111-4
N.Y. Central	193 5	190-6	192-6
N.Y., N.H. & Hart	90 0	90	90
N.Y. Ont. & West	27 4	27	27 4
Packard Mo'r	136 6	125	136
Pan American B	42-4	41	42-4
Pathe com	12	11-2	12
Pennsylvania R.R.	77 4	77	77
Pere Marquette	185	185	185
Phillips Pete	37 7	37 4	37-4
Pierce Arrow	32-2	32	32 2
Postum Co.	70-6	70	70 4
Producers & Ref	23 5	22 2	23 7
Public Ser. of N.J.	84	87 4	83 4
Pullman Co	81 2	81 2	81-2
Radio	407	376	407
Reading	109 7	109	109 2
Reo Motors	29 2	28 1	20 1
Rep. Iron & Steel	84 1	82 1	85 4
Royal Dutch	52-4	52 4	52 4
Schulte	51	50 4	50 4
Sears Roebuck	155 2	155 4	155 3
Shattuck Dene	25 1	24-2	24 2
Shell Union	26 7	26 1	26 5
Simmons Co	84 7	82	83-4
Sinclair Cons	38	36 5	38
S. Cal Edison	60	56 7	58-4
Southern Pacific	130-7	130-4	130 4
Southern Railway	147 2	147 1	147 2
Standard Milling	127	122	127
Standard Gas	88 1	86	88
Standard Oil, Cal	67	66	66 5
Standard Oil, N.J.	48 1	46 4	48
Standard Oil, N.Y.	38 6	38 1	38-4
Standard Oil Ind	66	66	66
Stewart Warner	124-6	122 2	124-2
St Louis & S. Fran	112-2	115	115 2
Stromberg Carb	81 7	80 1	81
Studebaker	88	88 1	88
Texas Co.	59	58-2	59
Texas Gulf Sulphur	73 4	72 6	73 3
Timken Roller	71 2	70	69 6
Tobacco Prod	85 1	85 1	85 1
Union Oil of Cal	50 2	50 2	50 7
Union Pacific	226-4	223	225 6
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	44 4	41 4	43
U.S. Ind Alco	141 7	140 2	141
U.S. Rubber	61-6	57 4	61 1
U.S. Steel	186 1	181 6	184 2
Underwood Typ	105	107 1	105
Union Carbide	211 7	207 2	211 7
Util Power & Light	46 4	44 1	45-4
Vacuum Oil	120	120	120
Vanadium	104 2	103 2	104
Victor Talk Mach	161	154 4	158-4
Wabash	70-5	70	70
Westing Air Brake	60 4	58	59 6
Westing Elec	153 2	148 4	155
White Motor	36-1	35	35
Willys Overland	29-1	29 1	29 1
Woolworth	201	199 1	200-4
Wright Aer Cor	276	263	270
Ya's Towne	87 3	87 2	87 3
Yellow Sh. & Tu	110	108 6	110
Yel Trk & Coach	40 5	39 1	40 1

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, March 7.—Bar silver per ounce 26 1-16d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 7.—Bar silver 56 3-8. Mexican dollars 42 5-8.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 7.—Cheese, Westerns, 17c to 19 1-2c.

Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 43c to 43 1-2c.

Eggs—Storage firsts, 40c, seconds, 37c, fresh extras, 51c to 53c; firsts 49c to 50c.

WINNIPEG HAS FIRMER WHEAT

LITTLE OF FEATURE, WITH STRENGTH COMING FROM CHICAGO

Seaboard Houses Not in the Market—Coarse Grains Display Much Stronger Tone

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co. Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, March 7.—The wheat market was firmer today, with the bulk of the trading being at prices about ⅜ cent above last night's close. The market was a very narrow affair with little of feature going on, most of the strength coming from Chicago.

There was some moderately good buying of Winnipeg July by local houses, while the pool were moderate sellers. Most of the trade was comprised of spreading business between the different months, and this was badly mixed, depending on the position of elevator companies. There was also some short covering, but the main feature of the market was small offerings, there being very little for sale at any time.

Seaboard houses were not in the market and there was no indication of any export business having been worked, exporters stating they had not received a single bid. Unfavorable reports from Winter wheat territory were more numerous today, indicating that Winter killing in some areas may have been heavier than generally anticipated, and this possibly accounted for much of the strength in Chicago.

Liverpool was steady, slightly firmer than due.

The local cash market was again very dull, there being a little demand for the grades from shippers, but very little was coming out. Spreads were steady but about unchanged. The local futures market was very nervous at times, fluctuating up and down rather quickly, but there was support forthcoming on the dips.

Coarse grains—These markets displayed a much stronger tone today. Liquidation appears to have run its course and there was a good demand from domestic sources for oats, with indications that some business was being worked in barley. Rye also made a sharp recovery, but the demand was said to be all local.

Flax—This market closed higher, but very little business was uncovered.

FUTURES

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	128⅜	122⅞	128⅝	129⅝
July	130⅛	131⅜	130⅛	131⅜
Oct	130⅝	130⅝	130⅛	130⅞
Oats—				
May	53⅞	50½	52⅞	50½
July	50⅝	37⅛	50⅛	57
Oct	52⅝	53⅝	52⅞	53⅝
Rye—				
Mar	112⅞	115⅜	111⅞	112⅞
July	111⅛	112⅞	110⅝	112⅞
Oct	106⅛	107⅝	106⅛	107⅝
Barley—				
May	76⅝	77⅝	76⅝	77⅝
July	77⅝	77⅝	77	77⅝
Oct	72⅝	72⅞	72⅝	72⅞
Flax—				
July	208⅜	210½	204	210⅛
May	211⅜	212½	211⅜	215⅜

CASH GRAIN CLOSE

Wheat—1 Nor., 126⅝; 2 Nor., 123⅝; 3 Nor., 118⅝; No. 4, 113⅝; No. 5, 102⅝; No. 6, 88⅝; feed, 78⅛; track, 127⅛.

Oats—2 cw, 55⅛; 3 cw, 58; extra 1 feed, 53⅛; 1 feed, 40⅝; 2 feed, 48½; rejected, 43⅝; track, 63⅛.

Barley—3 cw, 72⅝; 4 cw, 70⅝; rejected, 60⅝; feed, 60⅝; track, 70⅛.

Flax—1 nwr., 210⅝; 2 cw, 206⅝; 3 cw, 197⅛; rejected, 185⅝; track, 210⅝.

Rye—1 cw, 111; 2 cw, 111; rejected, 101⅝; track, 111⅝.

LIVERPOOL

Open—⅛ lower to ⅛ up.
Close—⅛ to ⅝ up.

NEW YORK SUGAR

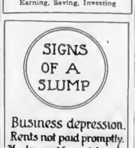
NEW YORK, March 7.—Raw sugar was firm early today. While refiners continued to show interest at last paid prices at 2.74 for spot duty paid, there were no offerings below 3.77.

The only sale reported was 23,000 bags of Cuban to an operator for April shipment at 3 77 duty paid.

No fresh business was reported in refined. Prices were unchanged at 4.90 for fine granulated, although withdrawals against recent purchases were liberal.

Money at Work

Earning, Saving, Investing



Real estate values are the last prices affected in any financial change the country undergoes.

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Few investors in real estate are able to determine in advance when there is to be a slump or an advance in real estate values.

Look for the slump to start after there is more or less of a general business depression, when the demand for renting space drops off, when tenants do not pay promptly, when mortgages are being called and interest rates are being advanced.

Look for the advance to start when the demand for space for new businesses increases; when old firms and merchants seek new quarters for expanding business, when money appears for building purposes and rent values increase.

The signs are really unmistakable but are probably not obvious to one who is not in close touch with real estate operations. When they do become obvious to the average investor, the values have usually increased to the point where it is too late to take advantage by buying or selling to make a profit or to avoid a loss.

Victoria Stock Exchange

	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	1 60	1 65
Dalhousie		22
Dunwell	14	
Leadsmith		08
National Silver G.B.		30
Oregon Copper	70	72
Rufus-Argenta	42	44
Silvercrest		11
Slocan King		09
Terminus		10
Woodbine		08
Pill Mines	1 35	1.50
Dalhousie Oil	2 40	
Home Oil	17 50	
Illinois Alberta	1 45	
Devenish	90	1 00
A P Con	2 90	2 70
UNLISTED		
Caufield		10 00
Georgia River	43	50
C & E Land		40 00
Silverlip	.20	
George Enterprise		23
Northern Light		30
Marmot Gold	09⅛	08⅛
Topley Richfield		44
Bluebird		14
Mohawk	.05⅛	06⅛
Noble Five	06	70
Kootenay King	08	08
Snowflake		42
Associated Oil		2 00

SALES

Pill Mines—100 at 1.33
Malaspina—1,000 at 10
Marmot Gold—1,000 at 06⅛.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

A P Consolidated—7,100 at 2 00, 3,425 at 2 00, 2,000 at 2 60, 2,050 at 2 62, 3,600 at 2 83, 10,535 at 2 65, 1,600 at 2 00, 2,700 at 2 87, 500 at 2 00, 1,260 at 2 70.
Advance Oil—150 at 1 48, 1,000 at 1.50, 100 at 1 35, 100 at 1 00.
B C Montana—30,000 at 00 1-16.
Freehold—3,025 at 1 00, 1,700 at 1 60, 2,400 at 1 70.
Midwest—100 at 80, 300 at 80, 300 at 75.
Calmont—30 at 2 00, 000 at 2 10; 000 at 2 20, 200 at 2 25, 300 at 2 30, 100 at 2 35, 100 at 2 43.
United Oil—270 at 0 00.
Associated Oil—200 at 3 00.
Dalhousie Oil—320 at 2 30, 300 at 2 65, 700 at 3 60, 100 at 2 80, 1,100 at 2 70, 200 at 2 75.
Devenish Pete—1,300 at 91, 700 at 93, 2,900 at 90, 4,400 at 95, 000 at .07, 100 at 00, 1,200 at 1 00, 000 at 1 02; 000 at 1 00.
Fabyan Pete—2,500 at 10, 200 at 13⅛, 5,700 at 11, 5,500 at 11⅛, 5,000 at 12, 250 at 12⅛, 20 at 12.
Home Oil—200 at 17 13, 170 at 17 00, 00 at 17 70, 100 at 17 75, 530 at 17.00, 320 at 17 00, 100 at 17 00, 4,100 at 10 00, 200 at 10 00.
Illinois-Alberta—1,270 at 1 40, 2,000 at 1 41, 500 at 1 45, 100 at 1 48, 1,500 at 1 50, 20 at 1 00, 600 at 1 00, 6,500 at 1 00.
Mayland Oil—1,900 at 0 00, 700 at 0 30, 000 at 0 30.
McLeod Oil—25 at 4 60, 500 at 4 00, 250 at 4 05, 495 at 5 00.
McDougall Segur—100 at 2 30, 000 at 2 40, 200 at 2 30.
McDougall Segur (new)—50 at 2 25.
Royalite—40 at 60 00, 1 at 60 00.
Wellington—5,000 at 12½, 2,000 at 14.
Whitewater—300 at 1 15.
Torie—100 at 1 35.
Kootenay Florence—1,500 at 12; 300 at 20.
International Coal & Coke—3,300 at 37.
Independence—1,000 at 10.
Grandview—6,000 at 30, 2,000 at 60⅛, 2,400 at 60.
Golconda—1,500 at 1 07, 1,000 at 1 08, 1,400 at 1 00, 200 at 1 10.
Gladstone—1,000 at .14⅛, 400 at 14½.
Georgia River—500 at 46, 1,200 at 46½, 7,400 at 48.
George Copper—100 at 6 00.
Duthie Mines—3,000 at 00.
Dunwell—3,000 at 00.
Dunwell—720 at 14.
Cotton Belt—2,000 at 00.
Cork Province—1,200 at 17½, 000 at .10.
Big Missouri—2,000 at 1 75.
Bayview—500 at 04⅛, 12,500 at 04⅛, 1,500 at 05.
Beaver Silver—2,000 at 11.
Woodbine—27,300 at 07.
Reeves-McDonald—3,000 at 2.50, 85 at 2 02.
Rufus-Argenta—3,300 at 40, 1,000 at 40½, 3,100 at 41, 1,500 at 41½, 1,000 at 42, 100 at 42.
Porter-Idaho—100 at 30, 400 at 00.
Premier—200 at 1 00, 400 at 1 05, 450 at 1 00.
Planet—1,650 at 60.
Pend Oreille—135 at 12 50.
Oregon Copper—3,500 at .71, 2,600 at 72, 200 at 73.
Topley Richfield—000 at 40, 4,400 at 40½, 2,400 at 41.
Snowflake—300 at 30, 1,000 at 31.
Silverado—200 at 1 10.
Silvercrest—250 at 40.
Ruth-Hope—500 at 46½, 1,000 at 46, 200 at 46½, 2,100 at 47, 200 at 48, 1,000 at 00, 1,000 at 24.
Noble Five—6,000 at 67, 500 at 67⅛, 2,000 at 68.
National Silver—2,000 at .17, 1,000 at 17½.
Morton Woolsey—6,000 at 04⅛; 200 at 00.
Mohawk—1,000 at 00, 8,000 at 06⅛, 100 at 07.
Marmot Metals—2,000 at 00, 2,000 at 06⅛, 4,000 at 00.
Daly-Alaska—1,000 at 03½.
Marmot Gold—1,000 at 06⅛, 5,000 at 06⅛.
Lucky Jim—1,300 at 17.
Lakeview—1,000 at 01½.
L. & L.—5,000 at 06⅛, 2,000 at 00.
Kootenay King—100 at 34⅛, 11,400 at 00, 2,900 at 23⅛, 7,500 at 20.
Off session sales
Silversmith—5,000 at 13.

AFTERNOON SALES

Bayview—100 at 04, 1,000 at 06⅛.
Beaver Silver—000 at 14.
Big Missouri—1,400 at 1 70.
Bluebird—1,000 at 10, 250 at 70.
Cork Province—1,150 at 17½, 500 at 10.
Cotton Belt—5,000 at 61, 500 at 62.
Dalhousie Mine—1,000 at 10.
Duthie Mine—300 at 00.
Georgia River—4,325 at 48.
Golconda—1,000 at 1 09, 100 at 1 10.
George Enterprise—1,000 at 25.
Grandview—200 at 58, 2,500 at 50½, 6,450 at 50.
International Coal & Coke—500 at 38.
Kootenay King—1,250 at 00, 000 at 06⅛.
L. & L.—3,000 at 00.
Lakeview—5,000 at 01⅛.
Lucky Jim—2,000 at 10.
Marmot Gold—100 at 09.
United Empire—1,000 at 12.
Marmot Metals—2,000 at 06⅛, 6,000 at 06.
Mohawk—6,450 at 06⅛.
Morton Woolsey—1,000 at 06⅛, 1,400 at 04⅛.
Noble Five—300 at 67, 3,000 at 00, 100 at 00.
Oregon Copper—4,400 at 71, 300 at 72.
Pend Oreille—200 at 12 00, 003 at 12 22, 10 at 12 50.
Planet Mines—1,700 at 60.
Premier Gold—1,200 at 1 00.
Porter-Idaho—1,000 at 00.
Reeves McDonald—6,485 at 2 00.
Silverado—302 at 1 08.
Rufus-Argenta—1,100 at 41, 2,000 at 42, 100 at 42½, 5,700 at 42.
Ruth-Hope—4,100 at 54, 1,000 at 54½, 4,030 at 55, 5,600 at 00.
Silvercrest—2,600 at 09, 3,500 at 08⅛.
Silverton—1,000 at 39, 1,000 at 40.
Silversmith—000 at 11.
Topley Richfield—1,500 at 40⅛, 1,700 at 41, 100 at 42.
Whitewater—1,030 at 1 16.
Woodbine—5,500 at 00, 1,000 at 06⅛, 6,500 at 06⅛, 5,000 at 07.
Advance Oil—650 at 1 30, 250 at 1 00, 400 at 1 00, 100 at 1 00.
B C Montana—120,000 at 00 1-16.
Freehold—100 at 1 70, 200 at 1 73, 400 at 1 75, 00 at 1 00.
Calmont Oil—300 at 2 10, 600 at 2 10, 000 at 2 00.
Fabyan Pete—1,300 at 11½, 24,100 at 12½, 500 at 13½, 6,000 at 12.
Mayland Oil—250 at 0 10, 100 at 0 20, 265 at 0 26, 00 at 0 30.
Spooner—00 at 5 00.
Associated Oil—100 at 3 00.
McDougall Segur (old)—400 at 2 45, 000 at 2 50.
McDougall Segur (new)—275 at 2 00.
Royalite—12 at 60 00.
Midwest—600 at 70.
A P Consolidated—100 at 2 56, 2,000 at 2 00, 200 at 2 61, 400 at 2 62, 1,700 at 2 62, 15,000 at 2 60, 600 at 2 57, 100 at 2 00, 7,000 at 2 70.
Devenish—3,600 at 90, 2,000 at 91, 300 at 92, 100 at 90, 2,700 at 90, 100 at 90, 120 at 1 00.
Dalhousie Oil—1,100 at 2 80, 1,490 at 2 00, 2,200 at 2 00, 100 at 2 00, 2,630 at 2 00, 35 at 2 10.
Illinois-Alberta—1,035 at 1 00, 100 at 1 04, 2,050 at 1 00; 200 at 1.06, 100 at 1 07, 1,100 at 1 03.
McLeod Oil—93 at 4 00, 100 at 4 00, 00 at 5 00.
Home Oil—45 at 17 80, 30 at 17 85, 420 at 17.00, 2,087 at 10 00, 00 at 10 00, 070 at 18.10.

Whitney Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, March 7.—Whitney, of the Wall Street Financial Bureau, says today:

I believe you will find that the second 1929 general buying point which was given to you yesterday will prove to be quite as satisfactory a point as was the first one which you were given at about this time in February. Remembering the experience with the money market of December, when high rates at midmonth created general fear concerning the height to which the call rate would advance at the end of the year, would bear in mind that these high rates never developed, but, on the other hand, a substantial decline set in.

I believe it is entirely possible that preparations for midmonth tax disbursements and Government financing have quite largely created their maximum effect in the money market, and that the prospect for lower money as we draw close to midmonth is better than the prospect for higher money than has been witnessed.

Of the three utilities recommended for purchase yesterday, Western Union developed into the feature of the market by establishing a new high record. In the belief that the stock is destined to sell between $250 and $300 a share, it is recommended for purchase below $215. Colorado Fuel continues its advance, and this, despite the fact that one of the news tickers prints a denial of the report that negotiations have been under way for the steel company to purchase it.

Having lived through many denials, my advice to you is to look upon this denial as merely technical, and continue to buy the stock while you can do so below $80 a share, as there is a new high record in the making for this issue. Columbia Graphophone continues to be recommended for purchase below 75, from which figure expect approximately 33 1-3 per cent profit to the accompaniment of another stock dividend. In the rail group, continue to concentrate on Canadian Pacific below 250, New York Central below 195, Erie around 75, Denver & Rio Grande Western below 77, and Western Maryland second preferred below 52, and in the utilities, in addition to those recommended yesterday, be sure and include National Power & Light at any price under 60. This issue will be back to its record top and through it without much delay.

All the market leaders, such as Steel, Can and Allied Chemical, appear to have established a firm foundation and are a purchase whenever they are available around the low prices of today. Consolidated Aircraft has secured another large order, this one valued at approximately $1,500,000. In addition, negotiations have been opened for the purpose of acquiring control of the company, which cannot be secured at any price at which the stock has sold thus far.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Alta. Pacific Grain	57 4	57	57-4
Abitibi	46	45-4	46
Asbestos	15	15	15
Asbestos pfd	50	50	50
Atlantic Sugar	15	15	15
Ass. Breweries	30	30	30
B A Oil	52	51 4	51 4
Bell Telephone	172 4	172	172 4
Brazilian Trac	69 4	66 4	66-2
B C Fish & Pack	27 4	27	27
Brompton Paper	46 2	43	46-2
B C Power "A"	60 4	52	52 2
B C Power "B"	34 4	34	34 4
Can Bronze	61	21	21
Can Cement com	21 7	20 6	21 7
Can Cement pfd	103	100	100
Can Car Fdy com	183	180	181
Canada Gypsum	107	103	103
Can S.S. com	45	43	44
Can S.S. pfd	60 7	66 7	60-7
Can Celanese	121	121	121
Can Converters	102	100	102
Can Ind Alcohol	41	40 4	41
Cons M & S	485	480	485
Dominion Bridge	100 7	101	100 2
Dominion Glass	175	175	175
Dominion Textile	104	103	103
Dryden Paper	27 4	27 4	27 4
Hiram Walker	70 4	78-4	70 4
Massey Harris	87	80	87
McColl Frontenac	34 2	34	34
Montreal Power	119-4	110	119 4
National Breweries	134	100 7	133 7
Naranda	61 2	61	61
Page Hersey	130	130	130
Penmans Ltd	100	100	100
Power Corpn	114 4	111	114 6
Shawinigan	87 4	85-4	87
Steel of Canada	60 4	60	60
Winnipeg Elec	66 3	66 0	66 0

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 7.—Futures quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	125⅞	126⅛	125⅞	126 ⅛0
May	129⅛0	120⅛0	129⅛0	129⅛0
July	130⅛0	130⅛0	130⅛0	130⅛0

Cash prices—No. 1 Nor., 100⅛; 2 Nor., 123⅛; 3 Nor., 118⅛; 4 wheat, 112⅛; 5 wheat, 103; 6 wheat, 98⅛; feed, 90⅛.

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UNDERTONE AT CHICAGO FIRM

WHEAT MARKET CLOSES STRONG AT ONE AND A QUARTER CENT RISE

Export Demand at Seaboard Slow—Corn Market Averages Slightly Higher—Trade Smaller

CHICAGO, March 7.—Wheat market showed a firmer undertone the greater part of the session and closed strong at above 1 1-4 cents over the previous finish. Weather over the Winter wheat belt was less favorable and there was an increase in reports of crop damage in the West and Southwest. Cromwell said his report indicated rather heavy damage in Southeast Kansas, where acreage was light, but in the Western part and heavy acreage counties damage was normal to light.

Export demand at the seaboard remains slow. Argentine shipments for week were estimated at 3,455,000 bushels, by far the largest this season. We still favor sales of May wheat.

Corn: Market averaged slightly higher, but trade was somewhat smaller recently and market did not fully reflect the advance in other grains. Movement remains light, with primary arrivals only about one-third of what they were a year ago. Local spots basis was steady. We still feel friendly to corn and believe the wheat-corn spread will narrow further.

Daily Stock News

(Supplied by Miller, Court & Co., Ltd.)

McLeod—McLeod No. 1 shut off production early Wednesday morning, but tools will be run into it again in order to bring it back. It will take about half a day for the men to get the drill fixed and into position, while it is anticipated the actual drilling will not take any lengthy period, as the bridge is believed to be composed of carbon black and ice.

McLeod No. 2 will probably be rigged up at the beginning of next week in order that an attempt may be made to bring the well back.

McLeod No. 3—About 100 feet of drill rods were brought out of the hole yesterday. The lost diamond bit and about sixty feet of drill rods are yet at the bottom of the hole, while it is thought that the Hughes bit and skirt which were lost later will be found about 100 feet higher up.

McLeod No. 4 is now 1,030 feet in the limestone, with no change in the formation.

Royalite—After drilling Royalite 16 to a depth of 300 feet in the lime it will be put on a production test. Only ten feet remains to be drilled. It has a nice lot of gas, J. H. McLeod, production manager of the Imperial, stated this morning, but it is impossible to say how much, as a rotary rig is being used. Its performance should indicate what may be expected from others. Royalite 18 is producing 15,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily, having a recovery of 250 barrels of naphtha per day. It is now apparently at its normal condition.

It is rumored that a deal has been arranged between United and Home Oil for the Home to buy part of the United assets. It is believed that royalties on several legal subdivisions in 30-12-2, West 5th, alongside the Home wells is involved. An official statement is expected in a few days.

Calmont—A start to dig the cellar for Calmont No. 2 well, only about 400 feet from Home No. 1, in the south central section of Turner Valley, will be made this morning, while a gang of men will be set to work at once laying a gas pipe to the new location, it was announced Wednesday night by J. C. Dallas, vice-president of the Calmont Company.

Calmont No. 2—The drillers are still breaking through the bridge in the hole and cleaning the well, with very little change in the situation.

Illinois-Alberta—Tools were still stuck in the hole at Illinois-Alberta No. 2 last night, but the circulation system was being maintained around the bit with the object of loosening it.

Advance—Work has been resumed on Advance No. 3 following the breakdown last week. The well is said to be looking favorable.

Earnings of British Railway Diminished

LONDON, March 7.—Despite a total increase of passenger journeys of eight million last year, the revenue of the Southern Railway Company declined $1,000,000, Brigadier-General E. Baring, chairman of the railway, declared at the meeting of shareholders. He attributed the fall in revenue largely to the competition of private automobiles.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by H. E. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Advance	383	1 35	1 32	1 36
Alta P. Cons.	3,400	2 30	2 30	2 32
Calmont	60	3 40	3 40	3 40
Dalhousie	4,300	8 00	7 86	8 00
Devenish	8,135	90	87½	87½
Ills. Alta	100	1 35	1 32	1 32
McD. Segur	425	3 36	3 35	3 35
Regent	3,200	90	90	90
Dallas	2,515	95	90	92
Mid-West	2,770	90	83	90
Mill City	270	1 70	1 70	1 70
Royalite	92	84 00	80 00	84 00
Signal Hill	3,770	38	37	38
Spooner	600	1 30	1 00	1 30
United Oils	1,740	0 30	0 25	0 25
Ican	150	1 35	1 30	1 30
New Federal	100	13	13	13
Freehold	200	1 73	1 73	1 73

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	Bid	Asked
Bluebird	19	20
Bayview	04½	
Beaver Silver	11	13
Big Missouri	1 60	1 73
Bowena Copper	07	
Cork Province	17	18
Cotton Belt	61	63
Dalhousie	18	30
Duthie	50	55
George Copper	8 00	
Georgia River	43	46
Golconda	1 10	1 15
Grandview	50	60
Independence	00	10
Indian	06	07
International O. & O.	38½	
Kootenay Florence	10	16
Kootenay King	03	
Lakeview	01¾	
Lucky Jim	10	17
Mohawk	06	07
Morton Woolsey	04	04½
Marmot River Gold	03½	06¾
Marmot Metals	00	
National Silver (NB)	17	15
Noble Five	71	71½
Pend Oreille, com.	12 00	12 03
Planet	00	85
Premier	1 07	1 08
Porter-Idaho	53½	
Reeves-McDonald	0 45	3 55
Ruth-Hope	54	55
Silvercrest	00	00½
Silvercup	38	
Silverado	1 00	1 10
Silversmith	11	
Slocan Rambler	15	16
Snowflake	31	
Terminus	05	10
Top'ay Richfield	40	41
Toric		1 75
Whitewater, com.		1 00
MISCELLANEOUS OILS		
Advance	1 03	1 70
A.P. Consolidated	2 60	2 70
B.C. Montana		00 1-10
Dalhousie	3 00	3 05
Devenish	05	00
Fabyan	13	16
Home	10 00	10 10
Illinois-Alberta	1 38	1 52
Mayland	8 10	8 40
McLeod	4 75	
McDougall Segue	2 45	2 50
Royalite	80 00	

Latest News From Wall Street

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, March 7.—Price movements in today's session indicated that stocks had adjusted themselves somewhat to the abnormal stringency in the demand loan market. With the bank hesitating to rediscount in face of the Federal Reserve warning the target credit requirements incident to preparations for the midmonth transactions found a limited supply of funds on offer.

Renewal of standing loans was arranged at 10 per cent, the highest initial charge since January 3. This rate failed to attract sufficient money and an 11 per cent level was established around 1 o'clock followed by a further rise to 12 per cent in the early afternoon. Further substantial selling had to be absorbed during the morning.

Johns-Manville was conspicuously weak, owing to the death in California of T. F. Mersels, president of the company and leading genius of the organization.

Exchange on London broke to 4 85 5-32, the lowest level reached since the Bank of England advanced its rate to 5 1-2 per cent.

Publication on Wednesday of the report for 1928 of Union Carbide drew attention to that periodically active favorite. The company reported net income of $30,577,382, after all deductions including taxes, which was equivalent to $11 15 on the 2,742,072 shares outstanding. That was even a stronger showing than the forecast of approximately $11 a share published in this column a few weeks ago. Net income last year was more than $5,000,000 greater than in 1927, when earnings of $9 52 were shown on 2,659,733 shares.

Simultaneously strength in Western Union and Radio in a generally nervous market was ascribed to the belief that Western Union was approaching some sort of a merger with the communication ends of Radio. Such would be very beneficial to both companies. Newcomb Carlton, president of Western Union, and David Sarnoff, vice-president of Radio, are in Europe, and it is understood that conversations along lines started some time ago are again under way.

Reo Motor Car Co., year ended December 31, net profit of $5,083,569, after Federal tax, depreciation and interest, equivalent to $2.54 a share, $10 par on 2,000,000 shares, against $4,724,321 or $2.36 in 1927.

Loews, Inc., for twelve weeks ended November 18, 1928, net profit of $2,102,033, after depreciation taxes, against $1,257,054 in twelve weeks ended November 20, 1927.

February railroad locomotive shipments from principal manufacturing plants, twenty-three locomotives, against twenty-three in January and fifty-nine in February, 1928, according to Department of Commerce.

Stromberg Carburetor declared initial quarterly dividend of 75c on new stock. Earned $8 93 a share on 80,000 shares in 1928, against $2 10 in 1927.

Youngstown — Second quarter contracts will be closed this month on primary steel by leading consumers and negotiations are under way. Due to higher prices in semi-finished steel, the advanced market on rolled products is firming and is expected to supply on next quarter shipments. This will bring the market on finished steel to highest level in several years and will materially benefit producing history. Spring weather is bringing fresh stimulus to demands and will bolster requirements for steel entering into building construction.

Detroit, Mich.—Reo Motor Car Co. and subsidiaries income account for year ended December 1, 1928. Sales, $59,757,806, cost of sales, $44,377,771, selling, general and administration expenses, $8,842,831. Other income, $456,048, interest received, net, $415,428; depreciation, $1,609,181, provided for, Federal taxes, $713,918, net profits, $5,083,588.

New York-Southern Railway system, fourth week, February, $3,424,350, decrease of $536,020. Month of February, $14,396,446, decrease of $400,635. From January 1, $29,749,629, increase of $272,766.

New York—Further heavy selling was precipitated at the opening by announcement that the rate of the new Treasury offering of $475,000,000 certificates would be made at 4¾ %, this was half of one per cent more than in December. Government financing, and was looked upon as additional evidence of credit stringency.

American Woolen Co., in its annual report, may show a loss of approximately two million dollars.

Two more important copper companies, Nevada Cons. and Utah Copper, increased their dividend payments yesterday, the former putting its shares on a $3 annual basis against $2 previously, and the latter on a $18 basis against $12 previously.

Persistent buying has taken place in Western Union shares in anticipation of early announcement of an alignment which is expected materially to enlarge the company's income.

Union Carbide earned $11.15 a share on the $2,742,000 shares in 1928, against $9.52 on $2,659,000 shares in 1927.

J. S. Bache & Co.—We feel the current situation is uninviting for the accumulation of substantial blocks of stock.

Hornblower & Weeks—We do not believe that Anaconda has discounted its remarkable prospects that will accrue to it as the only integrated copper company and the leader in the industry. We would buy Anaconda now, believing that speculative enthusiasm will centre upon this issue.

ADVERTISING FIRM MERGED

William Findlay Company, Ltd., Now Associated With Lord & Thomas and Logan, Inc.

The association of William Findlay Company, Limited, advertising agency, with Lord & Thomas and Logan, Inc., is announced by L. Ames Brown, president of the latter firm. The Findlay organization will serve in Canada all Lord & Thomas and Logan accounts from the United States as well as from Great Britain, and for its purely Canadian advertisers it will have at its disposal the facilities of all the Lord & Thomas and Logan offices. No change in the senior personnel of the William Findlay Company is anticipated.

The association between the two agencies developed through mutual interest in certain accounts handled by Lord & Thomas and Logan in the United States, and the William Findlay Company in Canada.

"The increasing importance of Canada as a market for both British and American goods, and the realization of the definite service which such a relationship will afford our clients, is our reason for associating the William Findlay Company with us in this way," said Mr. Brown. "Canada is the best customer of the United States, and the United States is the best customer of Canada. Over 700 industries have establishments in both countries. Our association with the William Findlay Company also will open up new fields of usefulness to us in behalf of English clients who wish to do business in Canada. The contact of the Findlay Company with our London office will be direct. Our action is a declaration of the belief that the interest of the advertiser in Canada, whether he be American or British, can be served better by a Canadian organization, and best by a Canadian organization with the association which the William Findlay Company now has acquired."

The advertising agency of William Findlay Company, Limited, was founded in 1926, shortly after Mr. Findlay's withdrawal from A. McKim, Limited, at that time the largest agency in Canada. He had been one of the three managing executives of A. McKim, Limited, and had developed for that agency a number of important accounts, particularly of United States advertisers in Canada. The business of the William Findlay agency doubled in 1928 as compared with 1927, its first full year of operation.

Prior to entering the firm of A. McKim, Limited, Mr. Findlay had spent a number of years in the publishing business, as manager of The Free Press of Ottawa, Ont., and later on the Journal dailies and Ottawa Farm Journal of the same city, with which The Free Press was merged as a war-time measure. Later he became business manager of The Toronto Globe.

One of the earliest members of the Audit Bureau of Circulation in Canada, Mr. Findlay has been closely identified at all times with the work of the bureau in the Dominion. He represents Canada on the Agency Advisory Committee, and has been a member of the Canadian Advisory Committee since it was organized. As a publisher he represented Canada on the committee in charge of the bureau of advertising of the A.N.P.A.

Mr. Findlay has devoted a considerable amount of time to public service. He was one of the pioneers of the good roads movement in Canada, and for twelve years has been a member of the executive committee of the Canadian Good Roads Association. As a student of highway legislation and traffic control, his opinions are widely sought, both in convention and through the press. For ten years he has been a director of the Ontario Motor League, which is the second largest motor organization on the continent.

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest Due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov.	101 00	103 40
1937, 1st June & Dec.	104 70	105 20
WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE		
1931, 1st Apr. & Oct.	99 00	100 10
1937, 1st Mar. & Sept.	101 00	101 00
(Payable New York)		
VICTORY LOAN, 4½%		
1932, 1st May & Nov.	100 00	101 25
1934, 1st May & Nov.	101 75	103 25
DOMINION LOAN		
1934, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	100 00	101 40
1940, 1st Mar. & Sept., 4½	94 40	97 00
1944, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	00 00	0 30
1946, 1st Feb. & Aug., 4½%	00 00	0 50
1944, 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%	Nom.	
1957, 1st Jan. & July (C.N.R.), 4½%	Nom.	

Add accrued interest to date
1937, 90 days, 1 687 per $100
1932, 1933, 1934, 120 days, 1 800 per $100
1943, 143 days, 1 650 per $100
1944, 143 days, 1 742 per $100
1946, 94 days, 480 per $100

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ⅛ of 1%.

MIXED MARKET DAY'S FEATURE

Heavy Early Selling at New York—High Money Rates Not Yet at Peak

(Supplied By Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, March 7.—A mixed market was featured today, being subjected to heavy early selling, later reflecting an oversold condition and recovering the midday losses. A total of 25,000,000 dollars in loans was called. The call rate trended at 12 per cent though the market showed stubborn resistance to selling that the call money trend influenced.

One of the market developments that helped to discourage more aggressive selling was the thirty-five-point advance in Radio, which no doubt had considerable influence on sentiment and promoted considerable short covering in the main body of stocks. Johns-Manville was one of the early soft spots, declining over ten points on announcement of the death of the president of the company.

Some of the early selling in the main body of stocks was precipitated by the announcement that the rate on the new treasury offering of $475,000,000 certificates would be made at 4¾ per cent. This was half of 1 per cent higher than the December Government financing and caused considerable talk of its effect on the call money market.

There is no indication that the high money rates have seen their peak inasmuch as they are likely to be continued around the fifteenth of the month and bulges from now on are likely to attract more liberal selling.

Mining News

By Miller, Court & Co., Ltd.

Thompson Cadillac—Have started to crosscut on the 600-foot level.

Lake Shore—Our field man says new No. 3 vein on Lake Shore has now been picked up on both the 400 and 600-foot levels. Four hundred-foot levels drifted on 300-foot width here varies eighteen to twenty feet; average values $18. Where cut on 600-foot level channel sample over eighteen-foot width went thirty dollars.

Wright Hargreaves—Nothing has been decided regarding cutting tonnage at Wright Hargreaves. James Grant, manager, decided to cut before he went to Buffalo a few days ago, and on return did not come out definitely, but inferred there would be no cut.

Hill Top—Manager Renaldson, of Hill Top mines, made spectacular bornite discovery on Round Lake, Boston Creek.

Harker—Shares of Harker gold mines will be called for trading on the standard Friday. Now selling around 31, annual report about printed, and would be received next week. One of Hammel group considerable ore developed and sinking shaft to 1,000.

Howey—Howey annual report will be issued shortly. Will show that 500 level is best in mine and expectation is that the four new levels will be opened up with improved values as they go down. Mill plans will likely be discussed at annual meeting.

Lartic—A Northern engineer service reports that samples from the vein of Lartic, 250-foot level, show high gold values.

Hudson Bay shares have fallen off since the annual meeting failed to develop anything that was new. Ore reserve about the same. It is said that an official statement about the mine made this stock look better.

Mining Corporation—Rumors persist that Mining Corporation will issue rights in a subsidiary and it would seem that, if this is the case, it would be in Base Metals Corporation, in which it holds 700,000 shares and which now has a market value of $3,000,000.

Wainwell—Reported Wainwell directors meeting in Toronto today to discuss disposal of heavy gas flow encountered in well at Wainwright. They are contemplating drilling deeper for the flow of gas.

Kirkland Lake Gold—Kirkland Lake Gold is drifting on 3,225 level and cutting a station at 3,275 level. J. B. Tyrell, managing director, is reported as stating that no ore has yet been opened east of where he expects to get the richest.

OILS

Okalta still drilling at bridge and formation very hard, making progress very slow.

Model, at 4,150 feet, is running ten-inch pipe.

Cementing McDougall Segur No. 2 completed Wednesday.

Within a week Alberta Pacific Consolidated expects to make an announcement of drilling programme for Spring.

Hudson Bay—Marland unloading material at Champion and will drill six miles north of that town. Had tested structure last year with number of shallow wells.

Said that 120 feet of dropped drill rods have been successfully fished from McLeod No. 3.

Bank Clearings

WINNIPEG, March 7.—The following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion of Canada for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago:

	1929	1928
Saint John	$ 3,374,088	$ 3,814,840
Halifax	4,099,707	3,977,835
Moncton	1,083,804	
Sherbrooke	1,240,300	909,166
Quebec	7,341,070	
Montreal	150,228,810	128,154,112
Ottawa	8,184,675	8,632,096
Kingston		693,387
Peterboro		718,300
Toronto	107,074,514	124,343,324
Hamilton	8,030,100	8,514,770
Brantford		1,301,807
London		2,941,730
Kitchener	1,660,907	1,167,020
Sarnia		580,001
[illegible]tham	1,056,083	701,015
Fort William	977,870	700,504
Winnipeg	60,444,813	44,224,301
Brandon	442,935	435,018
Regina	8,327,282	7,427,350
Saskatoon	2,475,975	1,882,504
Prince Albert	471,070	414,214
Moose Jaw	1,270,7[illegible]	979,419
Calgary	12,[illegible],613	10,709,753
Edmonton	8,746,374	6,374,330
Lethbridge	886,702	
New Westminster	922,340	873,083
Vancouver	30,982,[illegible]10	21,339,031
Victoria	3,077,[illegible]11	3,083,760

Toronto Mines

(Supplied by H. E. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Abana	1,400	2 23	2 25	2 28
Arunda	1,000	22	21	21
Amity	7,000	41	40	41
Amulet	4,600	2 50	2 36	2 50
Apex	3,600	06½	06½	05½
Argo	500	03	00	00
Arno	2,300	32	30	30
Allas	1,000	03½	03½	00½
Baldwin	1,000	03¾	03¾	03¾
Barry Holl.	1,500	30	30	30
Bidgood	500	43	43	43
Big Missouri	3,600	1 73	1 70	1 72
Boischatel	500	02½	02½	00½
Buckingham	8,000	10½	10	10½
Camp Bird	4,000	01½	01½	01½
Cent. Man	1,600	50	50	00
Corona	500	03	00	00
Gold Hill	8,000	00½	00	00½
Granada	41,000	04	03½	04
Mandy	3,200	1 37	1 35	1 35
Ore Basquet	4,500	70½	25	38
Wain Oil	91,000	40	32	38
Pioneer Gold	15,000	35	34	31
Venterea	21,000	8 30	8 00	8 30
Hollinger	800	8 50	8 35	8 25
Howey	1,600	1 37	1 35	1 36
Hudson Bay	700	61 10	61 00	21 10
Jackson Man	7,000	12	10	12
Kirk Lake	100	1 48	1 48	1 48
Keel Flor	4,000	10¾	10	10½
Lake Shore	700	25 10	25 00	25 00
Malartic	2,000	73	72	78
Mining Con	6,650	6 75	3 60	5 75
Morphy	4,100	90	37	60
Newbec	5,300	44	43	33
Nipissing	100	2 30	2 30	2 50
Noranda	1,300	61 35	61 00	61 00
Pend Oreille	500	12 75	12 00	12 00
Potter Doal	1,000	00¾	00¾	00¾
Premier	1,102	1 85	1 80	1 85
Oher Gordon	7,450	0 20	0 10	0 10
Stadacona	4,300	14	10¼	10¼
Ot. Anthony	31,200	00	00	00
Sunloch	100	0 40	0 40	0 40
Sud Basin	4,000	11 20	10 40	11 00
Sylvanite	100	2 00	2 30	2 30
Teck Hughes	1,000	9 40	9 40	9 35
Vipond	2,400	1 00	1 10	1 17
Wright Har	4,600	2 35	2 30	2 31
Sisco	10,780	1 03	97	1 03
Man Basin	13,000	00	00	00
Home Oil	300	10 50	17 00	10 00
Falconbridge	1,000	12 00	12 00	12 70
Golconda	200	1 10	1 15	1 10
New Nickel	1,100	00 75	01 00	00 00

Eastern Markets

News and Comment on Business Supplied By R. P. Clark & Co. (Victoria), Limited

MORNING STOCK LETTER

It is difficult, if not impossible, to make any comment beyond emphasizing stringency in money. In the week ending December 8, 1928, the call rate went to 12 per cent, and again to that figure at the turn of the year. In the present situation there is as yet no definite insurance that 12 per cent will be the top rate. Some money came in late yesterday which prevented a rise beyond 12 per cent, but there was nothing in the situation to show that easing could be warranted in the near future.

Further selling can be anticipated this morning and certainly we would not expect this morning to witness a decided turn about in the trend.

WALL STREET MIRROR

The money situation is now more critical than it has been for years. This is generally recognized by the banking community, many of whom have been quietly liquidating the last week. We would only consider making purchases of those stocks which have big earnings and possibilities of dividend increases.

Rails should be bought on further reactions. General Asphalt is selling at the lowest price in two years. If it breaks that point we would be inclined to sell it. Excellent buying on a scale down is going on in Montgomery Ward. Our recent suggestion on Silica Mol shows a 10-point profit. The best kind of buying has been going on in the stock.

The erratic advance from time to time in Mohawk Carpet reflects the steady drying up of the floating supply of stock. The floating supply of Mohawk Carpet is now smaller than it has been in months. The stock is going out of the street steadily to all parts of the country. Earnings are breaking all records. The company's bankers expect the stock to be a feature in the merchandizing shares.

TRADING ITEMS

U.S. Steel seems to have completed its technical reaction. We would buy it here, anticipating a new forward move, which ought to carry it above 200 in the near future.

Union Pacific is in a very bullish position. We think the stock will be one of the leaders in the next rail move, and expect it to sell above 300 this year.

Studebaker has been confined to about a 5-point trading range during the past month. A close as high as 92 would signal the start of an upward move which ought to carry the stock into new high territory shortly.

Spang Chalfant has completed a churning movement and has resumed its upward trend. We expect the stock to get into new high territory within a month.

Missouri Pacific has been in a pronounced uptrend since the beginning of the year. Its recent market action indicates a tendency of supply to increase over demand. We would take profits in this stock, anticipating a technical reaction.

Paramount Famous Lasky is in a very strong market position and should be bought at current levels for a major advance.

Mr. Robb Says He Is Not Convinced Stock Tax Wrong

OTTAWA, March 7.—"Representatives of the Standard Mining Exchange, of Toronto, presented their arguments concisely but still not convincingly," said Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, at the conclusion of an interview here this afternoon. The representatives of the Mining Exchange were Norman Urquhart, L. J. West and A. J. Tribilcock. They met the Minister of Finance and Hon. W. D. Euler, Minister of National Revenue, in the hope of convincing the Government to change the proposed tax on the sale of shares of stock provided for in the budget brought down last week.

It was contended by members of the deputation that the new rate would be ruinous to the so-called penny stocks.

There are forty-eight stocks on the standard exchange selling at 10 cents. This tax would be a 10 per cent tax on a 10-cent stock, a 20 per cent tax on a 5 per cent stock, and 50 per cent tax on a 2-cent stock.

Mr. Euler suggested that the difficulty be avoided by making the par value of the stocks higher. Make them $5 par value or $50 or $100.

Eighteen Companies Are Incorporated

Eighteen companies, with an aggregate capitalization of $1,235,000, took out incorporation papers with the registrar of stock companies during the past week, it was announced yesterday. Among the companies incorporated was the Branson-Ker Building Limited, of Victoria, capitalized at $100,000. Companies incorporated as as follows:

Branson-Ker Building, Limited, Victoria, $100,000.

Consolidated Underwriters, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

DeCew Lumber Company, Limited, Vancouver, $25,000.

Economy Coal & Supply Company, Limited, Vancouver, $25,000.

Fernie Coal Company, Limited, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

Bowlar Valve, Limited, $500,000.

H. Zeffertt, Limited, Stewart, $25,000.

Harding Hardware Company, Limited, Kelowna, $10,000.

J. H. Wilson, Limited, Armstrong, $10,000.

Kelowna Motors, Limited, Kelowna, $25,000.

Knight's Lumber Company, Limited, Chilliwack, $20,000.

McCulloch Motor Company, Limited, Vancouver, $25,000.

Radio Rental & Finance Company, Limited, Vancouver, $75,000.

Regent Coal Company, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

Rita Apartments, Limited, Vancouver, $300,000.

Swan Towing Company, Limited, New Westminster, $25,000.

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Antioquia 7's, 1946 A	92½	93
Argentine 6's, 1957	100	100½
Argentine 6's, 1959	100	100½
Austrian 7's, 1943	103½	102¾
Belgian 6's, 1955	99½	100
Belgian 7's, 1955	107½	108½
Belgian 7's, 1956	105	108½
Brazil 6½'s, 1957	84½	95
Buenos Aires 7's, 1957	99¾	100½
Buenos Aires 7½'s, 1947	103¾	100½
Chile 6's, 1960	92¾	93¾
Costa Rica 7's, 1951	94½	95
Est Ry 7's, 1954	103	104
French 7's, 1949	107½	108
French 7½'s, 1941	111	110
German 7's, 1949	100	103½
Hungary 7½'s, 1945	100	100½
Hugo Stinnes 7's, 1936	92¾	93½
Hugo Stinnes 7's, 1946	90¾	90½
Italy 7's, 1951	99½	99¾
Jap 6½'s, 1954	100½	100¾
Nord 6½'s, 1950	101½	103½
Polish 6's, 1940	81½	83
Polish 8's, 1950	97½	97¾
Seine 7's, 1942	100	105¾
Siemen & Hal 6½'s, 1951	103½	102¾
Uruguay 6's, 1960	90½	93¾
Uruguay 8's, 1946	100½	100

Yesterday's Tremor

SITKA, Alaska, March 7.—Earthquake shocks which lasted for almost four hours, starting at 4 38 o'clock yesterday afternoon, were registered on the seismograph here. Location of the intense shock was unknown.

CANADIAN RUGS EQUAL ORIENTAL

Toronto Manufacturer Develops Product Long Dreamed Of by Power Weavers

An improvement in rug weaving, which is already having its effect on the carpet industries of the United States and Europe, has been brought to fulfillment this year after several years of patient experimental work by the designers and weavers of the Toronto Carpet Manufacturing Company, of Toronto. It is anticipated that the new product will have quite a considerable effect in reducing the volume of imported Oriental rugs.

It has always been a dream of rug and carpet weavers in Great Britain, Europe, United States and Canada to produce in power loom rugs equal to the hand-made Oriental rug in beauty of coloring, design and durability. While in the past imitations of Oriental rugs have been woven on power looms, they were quite easily distinguished from the hand-made product, as they lack that lustrous sheen and appearance of velvet softness.

The Canadian weavers, however, never gave up hope of succeeding in this most difficult task. A few months ago, to the tremendous pride of the men who had worked so hard in their experiment, the first sample came from the looms, was finished and washed, and they felt that their dream had come true.

Since then, large rugs have been produced; and the rug industry of Canada and the United States realizes fully that a revolutionary step has been taken in the world's rug industry. This must be recognized as one of the most important industrial achievements in recent years. Canadians have done much in medicine, science and other branches of learning, and this most recent industrial triumph will go far to raise the respect of the world for Canada.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, March 7.—Standard copper spot £82 10s; futures £83 17s 6d; electrolytic spot £91; futures £91 10s.

Tin, spot £219 5s; futures £221.

Lead, spot £23 17s 6d; futures £24.

Zinc, spot £26 2s 6d; futures £26 10s.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 7.—Copper firm; electrolytic, spot and futures 19 1-2.

Iron, steady, unchanged.

Tin, easy, spot and futures 48.62.

Lead, firm, spot New York 7.25; East St. Louis 7.15 to 7.20.

Zinc, firm, East St. Louis spot and futures 8.35.

Antimony, 9.37 to 9.50.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, March 7.—Money 4 7-8 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills 5 1-4 to 5 5-16 per cent; three months' bills 5 5-16 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 7.—Call money strong, high 12, low 10; ruling rate 10, closing bid 12. Time loans firm; mixed collateral 60-90 days 7 3-4 per cent; 4-6 months 7 3-4 per cent; prime mercantile paper 5 3-4 per cent; bankers' acceptances unchanged.

Fifty Used Cars Await New Owners

The used car is one of the biggest factors in the automobile business today, and it is estimated that over 75 per cent of the cars on the road are driven by a second, third, or even fourth owner or more. The ratio of cars to owners in Victoria is one of the highest in the world and only exceeded by one or two fashionable Californian cities, hence the market here for used cars is always active. Of much interest is the announcement of another used car sale by Messrs. Eve Brothers, who periodically make a sweeping clearance of their floors to make room for new business. Commencing Saturday morning and extending over a period of ten days, fifty automobiles ranging in price from a few dollars to well into four figures, are cars of all makes, ages and models, so that intending purchasers who need a car for the Spring will find all requirements suited.

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NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW

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Cowichan Station, B.C.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

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Established 1887

WE WRITE ALL CLASSES OF INSURANCE, INCLUDING LIFE

OAK BAY

NEAR BEACH AND CAR LINE, NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW, four nice rooms and breakfast nook, cement basement, and furnace, built-in bath and other modern features. ONLY **$3900**

EXCELLENT VIEW LOT

CORNER OSWDNEY STREET, one block from Uplands. 100 x 120, to a lane **$1350**

BELMONT AVENUE

WE OFFER an unusually good eight-roomed house on this exclusive street at a special price. Hardwood floors, extra plumbing and other good features. Must be seen to be appreciated. Price **$6500**

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ATTRACTIVE STUCCO SEMI-BUNGALOW, consisting of dining-room, sitting-room, kitchen, breakfast nook and three bedrooms on ground floor, three bedrooms upstairs, open fireplace, gas laid on, hot-air furnace, garage in basement, well laid out lawns **$6900**

NEAR PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS
SAVE CAR FARE

VERY SUBSTANTIAL SIX-ROOMED BUNGALOW, in fine condition; cement foundation, full-sized basement, furnace. Good lot, fruit trees. Low taxes. ONLY (TERMS) **$2500**

FULLY MODERN BUNGALOW, five large rooms, two bedrooms, tiled bathroom, built-in features, oak grain fir doors, full cement basement, garage, solid brick construction, two lots; taxes $33. Property cost to build, five years ago, $5,000. Price (on terms) **$3250**

OWNER moving to Saskatchewan is prepared to sacrifice his four-roomed modern bungalow, situated in desirable part of Saanich, close to city limits. PRICE **$2000**

DETERMINED TO SELL, the owner of a most excellent six-roomed house with oak floors, electric range and other good features, in desirable district, has reduced his price from $4,800 to **$3800**

PEMBERTON & SON
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$1350—JAMES BAY. Four-roomed FURNISHED bungalow, open fire, bath, etc., rented at $24, taxes $26. Figure it out, over 15%

$1400—JAMES BAY. Five-roomed bungalow, open fire, bath, etc., rented at $18, taxes $21. Both clear title, and one block from Parliament. Easiest of terms

$1500—OAK BAY—$250 down; four-roomed cottage, over half acre, near car

PATTERSON REALTY, 654 YATES

$2500 — FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, with pantry and bathroom. All in splendid shape. Fireplaces and pipeless furnace. Good lot, with garage and poultry houses. COMPLETELY FURNISHED AND READY FOR OCCUPATION. Easy terms can be arranged.

$1250 WILL BUY FOR YOU A NEAT little home of three rooms, with bathroom and pantry. ALL COMFORTABLY FURNISHED. Good garden lot with young fruit trees and garage. Balance can be paid as rent.

$800 — COMFORTABLE FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE, with city water and light. Good garden lot, all ready for seedlings; some young fruit trees, and garage. Price includes range heater, linoleum, etc. This nice little home must be sold immediately, hence the sacrifice.

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6 ROOMED BUNGALOW, IN PERFECT condition. Full cement basement and excellent furnace. Gas recently installed. Double garage.

$4000

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$500 HANDLES

NEW FOUR-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW. Attractive living-room with hardwood floor, two bedrooms, nice bathroom, breakfast nook and pleasant kitchen. Full cement basement. This is a real buy at

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FIVE-ROOMED BUNGALOW, in very good condition. Situated on nice bright street. Terms can be arranged.

UPLANDS

SITUATED ON HIGH GROUND surrounded by beautiful oak trees, we have a very fine building lot, size 100 x 200 feet, at this bargain price

$1400

A. W. JONES, LTD.
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7-ROOMED HOUSE, ESQUIMALT ROAD, overlooking water, one acre of ground, with garage, garden and chicken runs. Price **$5800**

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ONLY
$8000 **$8000**
Do You Want a Really Fine and Fully Modern Home?

SEVEN ROOMS BUILT BY DAY LABOR and by experienced workmen. Good location. Extra fine basement, laundry tubs, hot water heating. Fine garden to match home. See this Fairfield property and you will be satisfied.

THE CITY BROKERAGE
636 View Street Phone 916

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

HAVE CASH PURCHASER

FOR AN UP-TO-DATE, MODERN SIX-ROOM DWELLING, with from quarter to half an acre of land, close in. Not over $3,000. What have you?

JAMES DOWKER
Real Estate and Insurance
208 Pemberton Bldg Phone 1661

MODERN 5 OR 6-ROOM BUNGALOW near transportation; price $3,500 or to rent. Phone 1120X

WANTED—A GOOD HOUSE, THREE bedrooms, garage, large lot, convenient to school, car and sea, Oak Bay or Willows. Price under $3,500, on terms, from owner. Phone 4107X1

87 FARMS WANTED

WANTED TO RENT—SMALL DAIRY farm fully equipped. Give full particulars in first letter. Box 2421, Colonist

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR SALE—FINE RESIDENTIAL LOT, best part Rockland Avenue, trees, no rock, 60x160 (room for tennis court), near Government House. Address Owner, Box 2277, Colonist.

VACANT LOT VALUES

LOT 6, FRONTING MADISON and Wilmer Streets **$200**
LOT 128, Brooke Street **$400**
Both these lots are $300 and $150 respectively less than the price of adjoining reverted lots.

CHRISTY, HALL & CO., LTD
640 Fort Street Phone 378

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

SAANICH DISTRICT
Means Reduced Living Expenses
LOW TAXES

ASSURED revenue from logans, bulbs, poultry, asparagus, etc. See our farm department for largest available lists of improved farms with small fruits, poultry, etc.

FIVE ROOMS AND 1½ ACRES, HIGH LOCATION, NEAR CITY LIMITS

1½ ACRES, MORE OR LESS, BEST OF SOIL, INTENSIVELY CULTIVATED, all kinds BEARING FRUIT, small fruit, flowers. THREE BEDROOMS, living-room and kitchen. MODERN BATHROOM. Two halls, city light, water and phone. Cement basement. Taxes about $30. Cow barn, chicken house for 300, goat pen and large shed and garage. Terms **$3750**

CLOSE TO ELK LAKE—ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS DOWN

4½ ACRES OF SPLENDID SOIL, cleared and fenced and cultivated. A modern SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, including nice bright sitting-room with open fireplace, semi-basement, three-piece bathroom, GREENHOUSE, cow stable, chicken house and garage. About sixty mixed bearing fruit trees, large patch of bearing logans and raspberries. Taxes $34. ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS DOWN, BALANCE 7%. WILL TRADE FOR HOUSE IN TOWN **$4500**

A COUNTRY HOME TO BE PROUD OF
NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW AND CLOSE-IN ACREAGE OFF QUADRA

1¼ ACRES, GOOD SOIL. EXTRA WELL BUILT HOME, ATTRACTIVE DESIGN, high-grade materials throughout, high location with extensive view. This bijou home contains large sitting-room with open fireplace, entrance hall, two good-sized bedrooms and wardrobes, convenient Dutch kitchen, breakfast nook, up-to-date plumbing, three-piece bathroom, back veranda glassed in, plastered throughout, cement cellar. Well-kept lawn and garden, thirty fruit trees. Good-sized berry, modernized chicken house for 300 birds, garage, aviary. Phone, light and city water and stage. Terms **$6750**

ADDITIONAL ACREAGE UP TO FIVE ACRES ADJOINING CAN BE ARRANGED

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort Street Phone 200
Established 1887

HIGH, HEALTHY SITUATION

AN ATTRACTIVE, 7-ROOMED, FULLY MODERN SEMI-BUNGALOW, standing in one acre of wonderfully productive land, well stocked with choice varieties of almost all kinds of fruit. Fine lawn and garden, surrounded by a beautiful holly hedge. Property only 3½ miles from town, in the popular low-taxed Saanich district. House contains full cement basement, furnace, entrance hall, sitting-room and dining-room connected by arch, open fireplace and built-in buffet, well-fitted pantry and a beautifully bright kitchen. The bedrooms are large and bright, with fine clothes closets. Rest of plumbing and fixtures throughout. Garage, cement paths, etc. Owner is sacrificing as he absolutely must get out. Price $4,300.

ROBERT GRUBB & CO.
1116 Government Street, Victoria

$5000—1½ ACRES, ON MAIN ROAD. Modern house, five rooms and bath, in perfect condition. Chicken houses for 800 birds. Domestic fruit, half acre strawberries. Low taxes.

SPARLING
P.O., Sidney, B.C. Tel. Sidney 1097

83 ACREAGE TO RENT

WANTED—630 ACRES OR MORE OF farm land on South Vancouver Island, must have at least 60 acres of good bottom land. Give all particulars, with rock bottom price. Apply Box 6179, Colonist.

TO LEASE—FIVE-ACRE RANCH, ELK Lake. Five-room bungalow, with other buildings. Three-quarter acre loganberries, mixed orchard. Good revenue can be made on this. For full particulars see W. J. Gilliland & Co., 1202 Douglas St.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

CHEAP RANCH

EIGHT ACRES, fronting on main road, four miles out. Electric light, city water and phone available. About two acres cultivated, balance timbered, some rock. Five-room cottage, barn and chicken house. Property is high and dry. Price $8,500

JOHN GREENWOOD
1100 Douglas St.

RENT, OPTION—POULTRY, PIGEONS, asparagus, stocked and equipped. Phone 1901L.

WELL-EQUIPPED CHICKEN RANCH, near city. Houses for several hundred birds, space for rabbits also. Five-room bungalow, city conveniences. Four large lots, well fenced, cement walks. Small fruits, etc. Bargain price, $2,900, terms. No agents. Box 6461, Colonist

86 FARMS FOR RENT

GORDON HEAD

8 ACRES IN LOGAN AND STRAWberries and field crops, small house, garage

SAANICH

10 ACRES IN ORCHARD AND SMALL fruits, modern buildings, city water and light, 6 acres, high location, overlooking the water, fruit trees, small fruits. Five-room modern bungalow (with or without furniture)

Several other properties, well located, from 5 to 8 acres (will lease)

J. R. HOLLAND
206 Pemberton Blk.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received on or before Monday, March 18, at 4 o'clock P.M., for the erection and completion of a Nurses' Home at the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque payable to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital for a sum equal to 5% of the total amount of the tender.

Separate tenders will be received for the plumbing and heating.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. ELWOOD WATKINS,
Architect.
730-831 Central Building

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders will be received up to five o'clock on 18th March, 1929, by the undersigned for the first frame unit of Cridge Memorial Hall, Blanshard Street. Plans and specifications may be obtained at 610 Sayward Building on payment of a deposit of $25, which will be refunded on return of documents in good condition.

Separate sealed tenders will also be received for the demolition and removal of the existing Sunday School building now on the site.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

SAM MACLURE
HUBERT SAVAGE, A.R.I.B.A.,
Assoc. Architects

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First Wife: How long had you known your husband before you were married?
Second Ditto: I didn't know him at all. I only thought I did

Lake Hill Park Subdivision

½-ACRE LOTS

No rock, all good land, good streets, city water, electric light, telephone and transportation. With Douglas Street passing through this property makes it very desirable for home building. We are offering a limited number of the very best lots in this subdivision on our easy payment plan of $25.00 cash down and the balance at $6.00 per month.

PRICES $175.00 AND $200.00 FOR THESE LARGE LOTS

We also have several Bungalows of four, five and seven rooms, in nice locations on terms $150.00 to $250.00 cash down and $20.00 to $25.00 per month.

ARTHUR E. HAYNES, LTD.
Fire and Auto Insurance, Collections, Loans
725 Fort Street Phone 710

OAK BAY LOTS
Good building lot near Uplands for **$250**
Fine homesite, facing south 90 x 135 **$850**
A. E. BARTON
110 Pemberton Bldg Phone 3081

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Auctioneers and Realtors

Instructed, we will sell at Salesrooms, 727-733 Pandora Avenue

TODAY, 1:30 P.M.

Exceptionally large assortment of well-kept

Household Furniture Cottage Piano, 7 Early Victorian Chairs Etc.

Including very good Cottage Piano, 7 genuine early Victoria Mahogany Chairs, 2 Davenports, 3-piece Mahogany Parlor Suite, Davenette, Upholstered Arm Chairs, Standard Lamp, Gramophone and Records, Card Tables, good Carpets, round and square Dining Tables with Chairs to match, Buffets, Oak Sideboards, drophead Sewing Machine, ladies' and gents' Bicycles, extra good Single and Full-Size Steel and All-Brass Beds, Springs and Felt Mattresses, very good Dressers and Stands, Overmantel, large number of Tables, Chairs and Rockers; Baby Buggies, 10 good Steel Ranges, Cook Stoves, Heaters, Kitchen Tables, Kitchen Chairs, Cooking Utensils, Crockery and Glassware, large Mangle, Wheelbarrow.

Also at 10:30 in our stockyard Usual sale of Poultry, Vegetables, Potatoes, Apples, Goats, Harness, Incubators, etc.

MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers and Realtors Phone 837

Special Sale of Furniture
On Saturday at 1:30

Having received instructions from the owners, I will sell at our Salesroom on Fisgard Street, a large assortment of High-Class Furniture, including 2 Quartercut Oak Dining-room Suites, a few high-class Sideboards, 2 Parlor Suites, 2 Oak Extension Tables, a number of good Dressers, Davenports, Arm Chairs and Rockers, a number of Beds, Springs and Mattresses, Congoleum Rugs, Linoleum, Carpets, Kitchen Tables and Chairs, Ranges and Heaters, 2 Incubators, also 20 new Bathing Suits and 20 Sweaters (good material), also other articles too numerous to mention.

Also our sale of livestock, including large assortment of Pullets, Cockerels, Goats, Calves, 2 Cows, 1 Horse, and other miscellaneous.

A. H. McPherson
Auctioneer Phone 5365L1

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Corner Fort and Cormorant
Genuine Antiques Only
Cars No. 1, 2, 10, 11 at Door
Hours: 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Long had he worshipped her at a distance, but his shyness prevented him proposing. Then, one evening, for the sweet sake of charity, a theatrical performance took place, in which the charmer was leading lady and more adorable than ever. Afterward the shy admirer drew near his love, made valiant by the sight of her beauty.

"You are the star of the evening," he said, as they stood alone in a corner.

"You are the first to tell me so," she said, coloring prettily.

"Then," he retorted promptly, "may I claim my reward as an astronomer?"

She looked puzzled.

"What reward?" she asked.

"Why, the right to give my name to the star I have discovered," said the young man, speaking boldly at last.

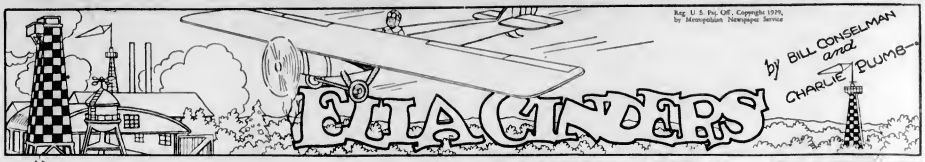
"Cold weather," says an English doctor, "should be greeted with three cheers."

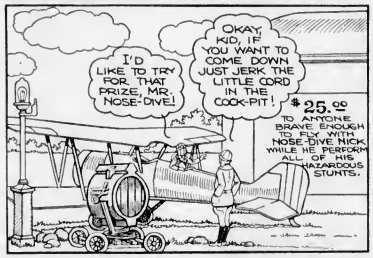
"Three cheers for the cold
And good riddance to heat!"
These are the words
I'm expected to bleat.

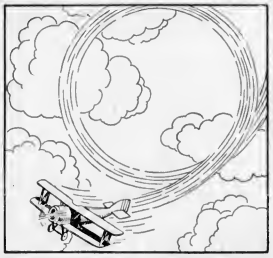
But though I might try
To enthuse in this way,
I fear I should fail
In my efforts today.

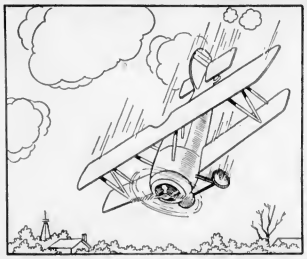
"Three cheers for the cold!"
Thus I cannot rejoice—
It has entered my head
And run off with my voice.

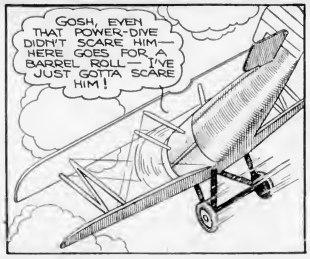
COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE

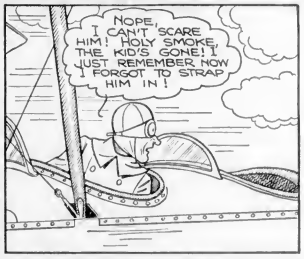


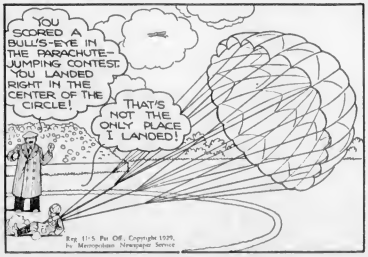


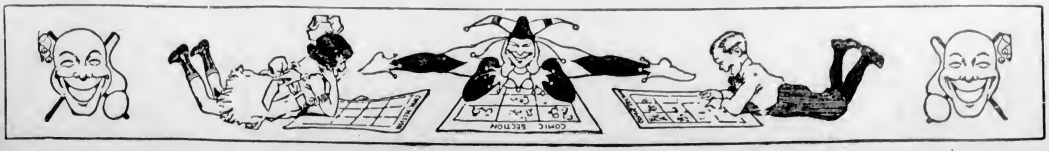












THAT CERTAIN PARTY

By Jack Wilhelm

THE NEBBS

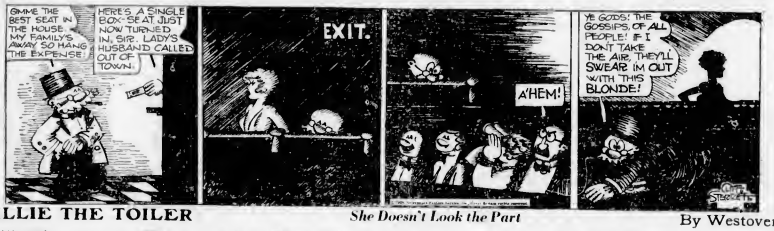
The Little Cheer Leader

By Sol Hess

POLLY AND HER PALS

A Hair-Breadth Escape

By Cliff Sterrett



TILLIE THE TOILER

She Doesn't Look the Part

By Westover

S'MATTER POP

The Retreat

By C. M. Payne

BOBBY THATCHER

A Costly Nap

By George Storm

KRAZY KAT

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

JUST LIKE A WOMAN

"Sue here!" said the zealous traffic cop. "Keep on the proper side of the white line."

"What line?" inquired the motorist. "I can't see any white line."

"Well, sue's ye got any imagination?"

"Nearly a generation and a half ago my head was grazed by a bullet at the battle of Chickamauga."

The little fellow looked at the old man's head thoughtfully and said: "There isn't much grazing there now, is there, grandpa?"

POWER OF ESSEX SHOWN ON HILLS

NEW MODELS SUBJECTED TO GRUELING TESTS AT ALL DISTRIBUTING POINTS

Local Newspaper Observers Given Startling Exhibition on Steep Climbs in and About City

All over Canada, this week Essex has been staging "Challenger Week," in which the new models have been subjected to grueling driving tests which have been carried out in the presence of newspaper observers in the different cities concerned. One notable performance was the journey from San Francisco to Vancouver of a stock model with gear sealed in high and with hood and radiator locked—more than 1,000 miles.

Two Colonist men spent an interesting afternoon in a new coach model from the stock of A. W. Carter, Ltd., when the Essex, always known for good riding qualities, proved to be possessed of a full complement of power. Poor noted bad local hills were negotiated on high, a little speed burst ate up a few miles of open road, and the easy riding qualities of the car were demonstrated over the bumps of one of the worst pieces of road in the city. This latter was at the beginning of the ride where the bad piece of Blanshard Street, between Pandora and Caledonia Avenue, was negotiated. Over these ruts and bumps the Essex went at fifty miles an hour with the greatest riding comfort and ease. To get this speed in the short distance across a number of intersections illustrated the ease and acceleration of the new car, which at all times during the trials had a pick-up and getaway which was remarkable.

A burst along the open road came next. Strolling along at a smooth running forty until there was nothing in sight, the driver accelerated to fifty almost at once and then stepped on the gas. Easily, sixty-five, seventy and still mounting when a blur appeared at the corner ahead. It dissolved first into a vehicle of some kind, then into a heavy truck. The speedometer on the Essex—which had been officially tested—was reading seventy-three when the Challenger was slowed down to fifty in order to pass the approaching truck.

Next, to Smith's Hill, leading to the reservoir, where from a standing start the Essex negotiated the hill, including the sharp bend in high at an average of better than twenty. Coming down, the car was stopped in about twelve yards with a suddenness that made the passengers ask for more warning next time.

The steep hill on Sylvia Avenue, in a different district of the town, was negotiated on high, and Gonzales Heights proved no test for the car at all. The decidedly steep and badly approached Terrace Avenue from Oak Bay Avenue on to Rockland, was indeed a stiff one and was negotiated on high with the speedometer never showing less than fourteen at the steepest part.

CONGRESS PROVES MOST SUCCESSFUL

Dominion Life Entertains Mayor Malkin on Recent Appointment as Director of Company

Mr. T. Humphries, local manager for the Dominion Life, who returned to the city yesterday from Vancouver, where he had been attending the insurance congress, states that it was one of the most successful conventions that have been held under the auspices of the Life Underwriters' Association.

Mr. Humphries also attended a complimentary banquet tendered to Mayor Malkin on his recent appointment as a director of the Dominion Life. This gathering was held in the Vancouver Hotel and was attended not only by the company's representatives from all parts of the province, but also by leading business and professional men of the city. Mr. John T. McKay, provincial manager, presided. Before calling on the guest of the evening to address the gathering, he referred to the prominent place his worship occupied in the business life of the province. Mr. Malkin expressed his appreciation of the cordial reception given him and hoped his appointment to the board of directors would be another link that would bring Eastern interests a little nearer the West.

The Dominion Life has been steadily advancing in British Columbia, the increase over a few years ago is said to be 225 per cent. The company has found it necessary to increase its office space in this city, and recently moved to larger and more commodious quarters in the Jones Building.

FRUITGROWERS CHOSE MR. GEORGE BARRATT

VERNON, March 7.—George Barratt, formerly secretary-treasurer of the Associated Growers, is the nominee of the Associated at their representative on the committee of direction.

He will replace O. W. Hembling. As previously, President E. J. Chambers and Sales Manager D. McHaffie will represent the Associated on the Shippers' Federation.

At the recent meeting of the Associated directors it was decided to protest to the Legislature against proposed amendments to the Produce Marketing Act, the provisions of which would deprive the commission of direction of the power to suspend or cancel a shipper's license. Under the new proposal cancellation would only be possible after conviction in a law court of an infraction of the provisions of the act.

Skaha Service, Limited, is also understood to oppose this proposed amendment.

A tramp had been admitted to the casual ward of a workhouse late one evening and the following morning he duly appeared before his master.

"Have you taken a bath this morning?" was the question he was asked.

"No, sir," answered the tramp in astonishment, "Is there one missing?"

Paints, Hardware and Garden Tools

Ready for Spring Clean-Up Week—March 11 to 16

Fashion Introduces Some New Effects in Sport Dresses

For Spring and Summer

Dresses of balbriggan, wool crepe, kashella and novelty wool materials. These are shown with pleated or flare skirts, plain or two-piece effects, with collar or collarless. Plain colors and two-tone effects, smartly trimmed with applique, silk and novelty belts. An assortment of the newest shades.

$17.90 and $22.90

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

All-Wool Pull-Overs

In Novelty Effect

Pull-Overs made of fine Botany wool. Plain shades with contrasting stripes at base and around cuffs and neck. Shades are camel with nigger and rose beige, powder with navy and saxe, grey with elephant and tan, Nile with reseda and camel. Sizes 38 to 40..... **$7.95**

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

Shoes for the Business Girl

For everyday wear the business girl wants a shoe that is smart looking and sensible, that combines comfort and hard wear. We are showing a line of snappy looking sport Oxfords, with low or medium heels; also walking shoes with a wide single strap, buckled at the side. In alligator calf, patent, black calf, brown, trotter and other sun-tan shades, with novelty reptile trimming

$6.00 to $7.50 Pair

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Black Hats

Are Popular This Season

Head lines are important this year, for the smart hat molds itself to the head as closely as possible. Light weight felt is one of the most popular materials — soft and pliable, it assumes a variety of shapes.

We are showing a small shipment of these in black only, trimmed with pedaline braid and novelty pins.

$3.95 Each

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Women's Wool Hosiery

All-Wool Cashmere Hose, full fashioned, with widened tops and reinforced wearing parts. In champagne, almond, alsean, fanura, smoke, beige, camel, oyster, gravel and black. A pair **$1.25**

Women's Silk-Plated Wool Hose, semi-fashioned, with marrowed feet and ankles and wide hemmed tops. In beige, rose nude, champagne, atmosphere, nude and zinc. A pair **89c**

—Main Floor

Little Boys' Suits

Boys' Two-Piece Suits, with polo collar and contrasting cuffs. Mixed patterns, in shades of fawn, green and grey. Sizes 2 to 4 years. A suit **$1.98**

Boys' English All-Wool Suits, with polo collar, square neck and fancy silk stitching around the neck and bottom of the jersey. Shown in fawn, green and rose. Sizes 2 to 6 years. A suit **$3.50**

Boys' Two-Piece Suits, with polo collar, button fastening at the neck and elastic at the waist of panties. In rosewood and beige only. Sizes 2 to 4 years. A suit **$2.49**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Perfection Corselette

$2.50 Each

The Perfection Corselette is made of rayon-striped cotton with a side hook and insets of elastic over the hips. An inner abdominal belt has hose supporters attached. Priced at **$2.50**

—Corsetteria, 1st Floor

ATTRACTIVE HOUSE DRESSES AND SMOCKS

Sunny days suggest a daintiness of appearance that these smart-looking house frocks express. There are Dresses of Cotton Gabardine and Best Quality Prints, made in gay and jaunty styles. Some are trimmed with plain contrasting materials, others with organdy or lace. Sizes 16 to 44.

$4.95 Each

Dresses of Prints, Dimities and Indian Head are shown in straight-line and basque effects

$2.75 Each

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—Whitewear, 1st Floor

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March 17

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Seals and Cut-Outs, a packet	10c
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Pint	75c
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Quart	$1.95
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—Paints, Lower Main Floor

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D-Handle Four-Prong Forks	$1.25
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Long-Handle Four-Prong Forks, socket	$1.85
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—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

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